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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to April 29th, 1911, for the carpenter work in connection with the erection of a brick Methodist church in the village of Odessa, Ont. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of J. C. Fraser, Odessa Ont. An accepted cheque of one hundred dollars must accompany each tender as a guarantee of good faith. If tender be not accepted, cheque will be returned. All material furnished, lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted, signed on behalf of the Building Committee.

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J. C. BELL, Chairman
J. C. FRASER, Secy.

CONCERT ROOM SCENES

WHICH HAVE OCCURRED IN RECENT YEARS.

A Remarkable Affair at Steinway Hall—Wax Figure of Vocalist Placed Upon Stage—Loss of Memory Compels Artist to Leave Platform—Paderewski Declined to Accept Floral Wreath.

The sensation recently created in a Berlin concert-room, when Dr. Richard Strauss, who was conducting, turned and rebuked some members of the audience for their lack of consideration in leaving in the middle of a work, serves to recall not a few previous "incidents" of one sort and another which have entertained concert audiences during recent years.

Many Londoners will recall, for instance, a remarkable affair which caused no little sensation at the Steinway Hall a few years ago. Some practical jokers desired to take a rise out of a well-known singer, and for this purpose they dressed up a wax figure to resemble him as closely as possible, and then, assisted by the arrangements of the building, thrust this effigy on the platform in full view of the audience while the vocalist in question was actually singing. Naturally, the audience was dumfounded for the moment, as also the victim of this "joke," which was, in reality, an outrage. Quickly recovering himself, however, he addressed a dignified sentence expressive of his amazement at the occurrence to the audience, and then left the platform, after which the offending figure was removed by the attendants. This was certainly an occurrence of a very unusually kind.

A personal incident of another order occurred in a London concert-room more recently. This was in March, 1905, at which time, it may be recalled, a great revivalist mission was being held in London. The scene was St. George's Hall, and the occasion an afternoon ballad concert, at which it had been arranged that a well-known society entertainer would provide a "humorous interlude." When, however, the artist appeared he startled the audience by announcing that, as he had been "converted to God through the agency of the mission at the Albert Hall," he did not feel inclined to proceed with the task of amusing people, and therefore begged to be excused. Whereupon he left the platform, never to return to the stage again.

The modern practice which requires all instrumental soloists to play from memory has been responsible not infrequently for trying occurrences. The late Henry Holmes, formerly well known as a violinist, once figured in a painful incident of this kind. He was playing in a concerto of Spohr at a Philharmonic concert some years ago, when, on reaching the cadenza in the last movement, his memory completely failed him, and, coming to a sudden stop, he ran right off the platform—leaving conductor and orchestra to finish the work as well as they could without him.

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NEWS NOTES.

The clergymen of Greater New York met and passed a resolution supporting the proposed arbitration treaty with Britain.

Inspector Frank Fitzgerald and three other North-West mounted police, of Edmonton, lost their lives on the Dawson trail.

The grand jury holds the proprietors of the New York Triangle waist factory for manslaughter in connection with the recent holocaust.

Ex-chief Mattson was sentenced to one year in jail for embezzlement of the corporation funds of Arnprior. The amount stolen was \$11,246.

That the women of the United States smoked 657,000,000 out of a total of 8,500,000,000 cigarettes manufactured in that country, is the statement of a New York manufacturer.

The Wilkison Plow Company, of Toronto, has made an assignment. The assets are between four and five hundred thousand dollars, and the liabilities are believed to be somewhat less.

The proposal to appeal the Hebert marriage case to the Privy Council has been abandoned, as it was found that Mrs. Hebert was a consenting party to the annulment of the marriage.

An inquest has been ordered at Parry Sound into the death of Charles, four-year-old son of James Baker, member of a sect which does not believe in medicine. The child died of diphtheria.

Fifty birds were seized and twenty five arrests were made at St. Hyacinthe Que Sunday afternoon, when the police of that place broke up a cocking main being held in a farmhouse about two miles from the town.

Toronto clergymen call on the British and the Dominion governments to secure a change that will make no temere decree impossible in Canada. They ask the removal of Church of Rome law from the civil law of Quebec.

Mrs. Mary Hallett, an inmate of Toronto jail, who claimed to be nearly 100 years old, collapsed in the jail corridor, and when picked up was dead. An inquest into her death was held. The jury found her death due to heart failure.

Percy Eaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Eaton, who reside in the fourth concession of Tyendinaga township died, Wednesday. Deceased, in his twenty-fourth year, had been ill for some time from lung trouble. Percy was a telegraph operator.

The Bay of Quinte Clerical Union of the Church of England will meet in Picton Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 1, 2, 3. This yearly meeting brings together all the Anglican clergy of the Bay district. It is five years since the Union has met there.

A resident of Aurora, Mrs. Maria Lloyd, celebrated her hundredth birthday on Good Friday. Mrs. Lloyd is hale and hearty, and her intellect is undimmed. She remembers the rebellion of 1837 perfectly, and she was a personal friend of William Lyon Mackenzie.

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Before May 15th, 1911,

as provided by The Public Health Act.

Notice is also hereby given to all owners and occupants of property in the Town of Napanee that on and after the said May 15th all premises will be inspected, and if found in an unsanitary condition, will be ordered to be vacated until put in a sanitary condition.

Any neglect or refusal to remove or abate such matter or thing as aforesaid shall subject the person or persons so neglecting or refusing to a penalty of not less than \$5.00, nor more than \$50.00, in the discretion of the convicting Justices or Magistrate.

Any complaints against the violation of The Public Health Act should be made to William Finkle, Sanitary Inspector for the said Town of Napanee.

By order of the Board of Health

W. A. GRANGE,
Secretary.

Dated April 13th, 1911.

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Mr. W. Matthews, a famous amateur flautist of an earlier generation, had an unpleasant experience of a somewhat different kind. He was playing a solo at one of the Leslie Choir concerts in the old St. James' Hall, when it was noticed that his tone seemed to be getting weaker and weaker, till eventually not a note would come, and he had to leave the platform. Temporary paralysis of the lips, induced by extreme nervousness, was understood to have been the cause of his breakdown.

Mme. Melba was once the victim of a rather disconcerting experience in her native Australia. After singing one of her famous songs she had returned to the platform, and was about to sing again when a loud voice was heard: "Keep perfectly still a moment; I am going to take a flashlight photograph. Melba had evidently not been apprised of this part of the program, for she was clearly taken aback, but, like the laughing audience, she bowed to the inevitable and the photographer got his picture.

An incident which occurred at one of Paderewski's recitals not long ago caused some little talk. The famous pianist, as everyone knows, is greatly admired by the ladies, and on this particular occasion some of his more ardent feminine worshippers arranged for the presentation to him of a laurel wreath, a little boy being deputed to offer the tribute. The result, however, was disconcerting, for Paderewski declined to accept the gift, and, ignoring the boy completely, walked right off the platform. Afterwards it was explained that he disliked such compliments.

Another eminent pianist who holds similar views is M. Godowsky—as was revealed by a little occurrence at one of his recitals at the Bechstein Hall last year. At the conclusion of one of the items in the program an attendant walked up to the platform and handed up a large bouquet of magnificent roses. Godowsky, however, bluntly refused the gift, remarking caustically in explanation, "I am not a ballet-dancer."

Rush For New Stamp.

The new 21-2d. stamp of the Union of South Africa is the first stamp to bear the effigy of King George V., and so keen was the desire of collectors to gain possession of it that there was a great rush for it. One collector bought \$50 worth, and in a short time \$62,500 worth were disposed of.

His Promotion.

"Pa," said little Johnnie, "teacher is thinking about promoting me."

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"From what she said to-day."

"And what was that?"

"She said if I kept on I'd belong to the criminal class."

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There is still no clue to the whereabouts of Walter Duthie, missing bank manager of Hillsboro.

Henry I. Matthews Jr., was acquitted at Cobourg on the charge of murdering Josephine Brimacombe.

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Liquid Veneer is a high grade furniture polish good enough to use on the piano or the best piece of furniture in the house. It brightens everything up. To be had in Napanee at Wallace's Drug Store in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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Montrealers are indignant at the action of United States immigration officers at Rouse's Point, who turned back over sixty Canadians who were bent on making the annual Easter pilgrimage to Gotham. They were forced to return to Montreal, and under go an examination by the board of special enquiry.

Lieut.-Col. Thomas Bog has resigned the position of deputy registrar for the county of Prince Edward. Col. Bog was appointed deputy registrar in 1872. In 1876 Walter Mackenzie was appointed registrar and these two have ever since been associated in conducting one of the best regulated registry offices in the province. John H. Holmes succeeds Col. Bog.

Permission was granted L. E. Dancy, lawyer for Edward Jardine, to appeal against the validity of the confession given by the condemned man to Dr. Bruce Smith and Dr. Jukes Johnson. Mr. Dancy will ask the court of appeal to grant a new trial on the ground that the confession was not given voluntarily. If the appeal is sustained Jardine will have a new trial at the fall assizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Odey Dunn, Kaladar, have the sympathy of many friends in the death of two of their children. Last week two of the family became ill with scarlet fever. On Sunday morning their eldest daughter, Rena, a bright girl of thirteen years, succumbed, and on Sunday night Donald, a little boy of four years, died. It is reported that two other of the children are in a most critical condition.

According to reports from the rear of Frontenac county it is said that four members of one family were carried off in one day by the dread disease known as black diphtheria. Particulars were very meagre and the name of the family was not even mentioned. The truth of the story cannot be vouched for but it is known that scarlet fever is working havoc among numerous families in the vicinity of Sharbot Lake.

At New York, William Queal, of Alexandria Bay, N. Y., defeated Alfred Shrubbs, of England, holder of the world's running record for ten miles, in a fast ten mile indoor race at the 12th Regiment armoury. No records were broken. The time was 51-55. Queal made a terrific spurt at the beginning of the eighth lap of the last mile, and finished twenty yards ahead. The first mile was reeled off in 4 40. The record time for ten miles, as held by Shrubbs, is 50.40.

Mr. D. D. Wilson, of Seaforth, who is the greatest authority in Ontario on the egg trade, has made the following statement as to the effect of the reciprocity agreement on the trade. He says he believes the result will be that producers of eggs will obtain a little higher average price under reciprocity than they do at the present time, and for the reason that Ontario is the only Province in the Dominion just now that has a surplus of eggs. All the other Provinces produce less than they consume. This is especially true of the Western Provinces.

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The following additional "Queen's Maries" have contributed to the coronation gift: Mrs. W. A. Steacy, Miss Ella May Steacy, Miss Mary Elizabeth Fields, Miss Marion Harriet Walmsley, Miss Mary O'Connor, Forest Mills; Miss Vera May McLean, Miss Mary McQuaig, Miss Marie Papineau, Miss Marion Elizabeth Roblin, Miss Jessie May Chrysler, Miss Luella May Wagar, Miss Grace Marie Wagar, Miss Nellie Maria Wagar, Miss Florence Esther Mary Walker, Miss Mary Isabel Lavonia Cronin, Miss Edna Marie Haviland, Mrs. U. M. Wilson, Miss Mary E. Hughes, Miss Mary C. Vrooman, Miss Marion W. Wilson, Miss Maria Grange, Mrs. Mary Brandon, Mrs. T. Wallace, Mrs. D. Daly, Miss Mary Vanslyck, Miss Mary Kimmerly, Miss Edith May Edwards, Miss Katie May Edwards, Miss Ethel May Robinson, Mrs. N. Wagar, Mrs. Mary C. Demming, Miss Lena Mary Harrington, Miss Mary Kathleen Denison, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Mary Ann Hughes, Miss Marion Amelia Thompson, Miss Myra May Frink, Mrs. Mary E. Black, Enterprise, Miss Mary Gertrude Magee, The Pines; Miss Mary Amelia Allen, Miss Violet Daisy May Lucas, Mar-

A SUCCESSFUL EVENT.

The Churchwoman's Guild of St. Mary Magdalene gave an Easter tea and concert in the Town Hall on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, the 18th inst. The reputation of the ladies for providing appetizing and dainty refreshments was maintained by the excellent supper that was served. The evening entertainment was novel in its character, being a departure from the old fashioned programme, and reflected great credit upon those in charge of it. Several excellent selections were rendered by the Collegiate Institute Orchestra, under the able directorship of Mayor Kimmerly. The ability displayed by the amateurs was a revelation to most of those present who were not aware that our town could boast such a well skilled musical organization. "The Silent System," by Miss Furnival and Mr. Hill, depicted the trials of a newly wedded couple. Miss Furnival played her part to perfection and received the well merited applause of a packed house. Mr. Hill was as usual quite at home upon the stage, and while his part called for no spoken words, his pantomime was most eloquent. A little play "Gossip," and its sequel "The Amazons," written and arranged by Miss Furnival, was the most unique performance that has been witnessed in Napanee for many a day. The cast of characters were as follows:

Adeline Von Lindau, a German girl.... Miss Vrooman.
Marie, her maid..... Miss Douglas.
Dorothy Green, New England girl..... Miss Chinneck.
Marion Lee, transplanted Southern girl.... Miss Leonard.
Hester Beacon, Boston girl..... Miss Wilson.
Beatrice Van Kortland, New York girl, Miss Bartlett.
Jeanette Durand, French girl..... Miss Furnival.

The young ladies looked so pretty in their stunning gowns, and took their parts with such ease and grace, that a stranger might readily wonder where the professionals came from. One is tempted to go through the whole list commenting favourably upon each, for each excelled in her own particular part. Miss Furnival is to be congratulated upon the performance of her company of "Amazons," and particularly upon her sweet and naive interpretation of the "French Girl". The ladies realized a neat sum from the sale of aprons and other useful articles, which together with the proceeds of the tea and entertainment will nearly wipe out the debt upon the organ.

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YARKER.

Messrs. Holland and Vanliven were elected as representatives to the Methodist quarterly board from Yarker.

Wm. Connolly and family will remove to Cataract this week.

Myers Warner took his two children to the Kingston general hospital. The eldest child, Lizzie, will undergo an operation.

Archibald Asseltine was taken to Kingston general hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. A. W. Benjamin is home from Brockville where, her son had an operation.

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Syrup making has been the order of the day.

A few farmers have commenced to do a little on the land.

The cheese factory began operations for the season on the 17th with quite a fair supply.

A large amount of cream is being shipped to Toronto.

E. H. Perry and Fred Milligan are preparing to build new barns.

Mr. Percy Thompson and Miss Jennie Long spent Sunday evening at Switzerville.

A number of fish peddlars have already made their appearance.

Charles Walker has been sawing wood in this vicinity.

Quite a number of young people from here took in the euchre party at Chippewa on Monday evening.

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WILTON.

Mrs. Henry Bush, Lapun's, who had been rapidly failing the last few months, a sufferer from tuberculosis, passed away, Thursday. Besides her husband, she leaves and daughter, Mrs. F. Brown, and four sons, Sidney and Stanley, at home; Cyrus, Camden East, and Walter, Toronto. The funeral, conducted Sunday morning, to the Methodist church, here, was largely attended.

K. N. Storms met with quite a painful accident. While splitting kindling in the woodshed, his axe caught on a clothesline, causing it to strike his forehead cutting a deep gash.

Miss Dorothy Neilson is quite ill.

Mrs. Zilpha Stover has returned from Macdonald, where she spent a couple months with her niece, Mrs. Irvine Glass.

Mrs. Wesley Parrott was visiting in Kingston last week.

Mrs. Sperry Shibley is in Montreal, visiting her son, Walter Shibley.

Miss Costley is spending the holidays with her parents in Campbellford.

Oliver Asselstine is home from Owen Sound for Easter.

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Mrs. A. W. Benjamin is home from Brockville where, her son had an operation.

Easter visitors: Everton Emberly, of Macdonald's College; Mrs. Lowry, of Napanee; Robert Gordon and John Warner, of Toronto; Miss Edna VanLoven, of Napanee; Harold Oldhouse, of Port Hope; William Skinner, of Piccadilly; Mrs. G. McGuire, of Dunnville; Miss Holland, of Ottawa; Mrs. Allen, of Marlbank.

Rev. J. Batstone, who was suddenly taken ill last week, forced himself to preach at Colebrook and Yarker. The Yarker choir rendered some fine anthems at the Easter service. Mrs. William Connolly, a member of the choir, was presented by them with a handsome silver tray. The people are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Connolly from the village.

Another addition to the village: born to Mr. and Mrs. George Young, a son.

Perry M. Graham, younger son of Hon. Geo. P. Graham, died at Brockville.

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D. B. Christie will again be captain of the Str. Brockville, this season with Charles Williams as engineer. M. Palmateer will be captain of the Str. Aletha with Thomas Hazlett, as engineer. The steamer Aletha now on the ways at Picton has been considerably overhauled by way of improvements.

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In the matter of the estate of Alfred Clark, late of the Township of Tyendinaga, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 129, Section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Alfred Clark, late of the Township of Tyendinaga, in the County of Hastings, deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of October, A. D. 1910, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Thomas Donnelly, Deseronto, Ontario, for the executrix of the last will and testament of the said Alfred Clark deceased, on or before the 1st DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1911, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 1st day of May, A. D. 1911, the said undermentioned Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she has not received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

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Even the most robust find the winter months trying to their health. Confinement indoors, often in overheated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the house, the office, the shops and the school—taxes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery or clogged with impurities. Some people have headaches and a feeling of languor; others are low spirited and nervous; still others have pimples and skin eruptions; while some get up in the morning feeling just as tired as when they went to bed. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order, and that a medicine is needed. Many people rush to purgative medicines in the spring. This is a mistake. You cannot cure these troubles with a medicine that gallops through your system and leaves you weaker still. What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine that will enrich the blood and soothe the jangled nerves, and the one always reliable tonic and blood-builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills not only banish spring weaknesses and ills, but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anaemia, nervous debility, indigestion, rheumatism and other diseases due to bad blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich, red blood, which strengthens every nerve, every organ and every part of the body, and makes weak, ailing people bright, happy and strong. Mrs. Jas. McDonald, Harcourt, N. B., says: "In my opinion Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do all that is claimed for them. My system was run down, and I was so weak I could hardly do my work, and taking care of my baby added to my difficulties. I used a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they made me feel like my own self. I very cheerfully recommend the Pills to all who are weak or ailing."

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Mr. Isaac C. Johnson (the inventor of Portland cement) on January 28th attained the age of one hundred years. Born on January 28, 1811, at Vauxhall, of working-class parents, his life has been a brilliant example of dogged perseverance. After receiving a humble education, amounting simply to reading, writing and arithmetic, he obtained his first situation at a bookseller's in Craven street, Strand, where he was employed to attend to the book-stall and carry out books. Subsequently, he entered the service of a firm of cement manufacturers in Nine Elms. When called upon at his residence at Gravesend, the old gentleman was found seated by the fire busily engaged in Greek translation. "This is the only occupation I have now."

FORTUNE FAVORS THE BRAVE; OR, A LOOK INTO THE PAST

CHAPTER XII.—(Cont'd)

Dorothy stared straight at her father, and her lips trembled.

"Kicked that dear, beautiful collic! Oh, daddy, how could he do it?"—her face was crimson with disgust and anger. "What did you do?"

"I confess, my darling, my fist all but met Mr. Crawshaw's head; fortunately, I restrained myself sufficiently to remember that I was his host, but I think I let him see something of my contempt; and I gave Foster orders before him to let the poor creature loose, and take her into the paddock."

"And—and was she really hurt, papa?"

Sir Humphrey's brows met. "Yes, she was," he said, almost shortly; "she ran lame, and moaned at every yard. On my life, Dolly, I was never so near thrashing a man in the whole course of my career!"

"I wish you had done it!" Dorothy cried, with flashing eyes. "Let Mr. Crawshaw kick his dog, or show off any of his brutal ways before me, and —"

But here Miss Leicester had to compose her feelings and her face, and meet her guests as they came across the lawn.

"I feel as if I shall never be able to touch his hand or welcome him here again. I always distrusted and hated him, now I loathe him—coward and brute!" she said to herself, as she listened to the Hon. Ella's glowing account of the match, and watched Crawshaw saunter, in his peculiarly insolent, offensively pretentious manner, toward them.

"I know if I stay I shall be rude to him, so I had better go before he comes," she mused, and, with a hurried excuse, she went up to Mrs. Fairfax, and strolled with her to the house. "I will wait till Nancy is quite better, and then I will tell her," she said to herself, as she ran hastily upstairs to dress for dinner.

"I know she will hate him even more than I do. Oh, dear! I wish to Heaven it was permissible to speak out one's mind to one's guests! I should not spare Mr. Thomas Crawshaw!"

She tapped at Nancy's door and peeped in, but no one was there.

"Gone down to meet me, no doubt," Dorothy conjectured, with some disappointment. "I wish I had seen her, dear thing! Well, at any rate, she is better, and that is all I care about."

She questioned Baines carefully as to how Nancy had looked, and was very much cheered by her maid's good report.

"Of course she is sure to look pale, that is only natural. Do you know, Baines, I fancy Miss Hamilton must have had a slight attack of sunstroke; she will run about without anything on her head."

"Yes, miss; I think you're right,

"Begging your pardon, miss, Mr. Crawshaw made me bring her out here."

"He—he could not surely know she was in such a state," she murmured, in faint, low accents.

The groom answered her rather gruffly:

"He ought to, then, miss, seeing as it's all through him she's like this."

Nancy's blue eyes were turned upwards; for many a day their look of uncontrollable horror lived in the man's memory.

"Through him?" she whispered, faintly.

"Yes, miss; she did something as vexed Mr. Crawshaw, and he kicked her. I don't suppose he meant to hurt her really, for she's a valuable dog; but Foster says she's injured internally, miss, and he fears she'll have to be poisoned."

Nancy bent lower and still lower over the dumb, suffering creature, till her pale lips touched the dog's head; a great bond of sympathy was suddenly riveted between this animal and herself; both were plunged from sunshine to gloom, both their hearts were riven in twain, to both the bitter end had come.

"Poor Zoe, he might have spared you!" was the unspoken cry on Nancy's lips as she rose slowly to her feet—her face was ghastly pale, her hands trembling.

"You—you must do something for her," she pleaded, rather than said, to the groom, "she cannot suffer like this."

"I'll fetch Foster to her, miss, and we'll carry her between us to the stable. Perhaps she'll be better to-morrow, miss."

To-morrow! Nancy shuddered. What depths of horror were expressed in that word! With bent head she was turning away, when the man stopped her.

"I beg your pardon, miss, but Mr. Crawshaw told me I was to look for you and give you this."

He held out a note as he spoke, and Nancy took it mechanically.

"Go—go, and bring Foster quickly," she said, as a moan from the dog broke on her ear. "I—I will wait here till you return."

The groom obeyed her quickly, and she was left alone with the suffering animal stretched at her feet, fit emblem of her own shattered, ruined life.

With stiff, cold fingers, that seemed to belong to an arctic clime, not a hot summer night, she opened the letter, written in the flourishing, clerkly hand that she knew well.

"In case any lingering doubt remains in your mind, I send this to tell you that if you breathe one word of the truth about your uncle to any individual here or hereafter, I will at once commence proceedings against him. Understand me plainly, not one word of the news I brought you, or of the motive that has prompted you to be my

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

What manner could she bear! An icy band stole round her heart. What explanation could she give? How could she tell him the horrible truth?

Her breath seemed to stand still; not till now did the full hideousness of her position come upon her. She was bound by affection, gratitude, honor, to seal her lips, and yet—

She stared suddenly; upon the breeze came the sound of her name, uttered in a soft, musical voice.

It was Dorothy's—she was seeking for her.

"Nancy—Nancy, where are you—where are you?"

She paused an instant, then pained her strength.

"I cannot meet her yet," she said to herself, and she stole down to the water's brink and crouched below the bushes.

"Nancy—Nancy!"

The voice came nearer—then nearer.

How Nancy longed to spring forward and cling to that dainty form, kiss that lovely face, and nestle close to the loving heart!

"She is not here. Oh, dear," murmured Dorothy, dispiritedly; "it's no use, Meredith, she must have gone back to the house by some other path. I do hope she is not ill again."

"Shall I look farther this way?" asked Lord Merefield, eagerly.

Dorothy shook her head.

"No; no; dinner has been kept waiting as it is. I must hurry back. She is not far; but I do wish I could see her. I shall certainly send for Dr. Knowles if she is not better to-morrow. I feel uneasy about her."

"Oh, don't worry dear. You know—"

The voices died away, and Nancy was safe to emerge from her hiding place when she cared.

Stunned, amazed, overcome with horror as she had been ever since her interview with Crawshaw, she had not realized one half the difficulties, the mental sufferings that lay in store for her.

"What will they think of me?" was the bitter cry that broke from her heart, as she stood with bent head and arms hanging nerveless at her sides. "What will Dorothy say? How—how shall I explain to her my strange conduct? She has seen that I loathe this man; she will think I am tempted by his money, that I am a hypocrite; and Derry—Derry, who is my very life!—Derry, who has given me the whole of his great, noble heart; Derry who spoke of his poverty, and, oh God! I can't bear it—I can't endure it—it will drive me mad!"

She crouched on the ground in her abject despair, while the leaves fluttered in the evening breeze, and the lake murmured serenely at her feet. Stretch her hand out where she might, there was no help for her, no haven, no refuge—the sacrifice had fallen to her share, and she must go through with it alone to the end!

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at the book-stall and carry out books. Subsequently, he entered the service of a firm of cement manufacturers in Nine Elms. When called upon at his residence at Gravesend, the old gentleman was found seated by the fire busily engaged in Greek translation. "This is the only occupation I have now," he said, pointing to the literature before him, "and I cannot do very much of that." "No, I cannot take much outdoor exercise now," he remarked, in reply to a query; "but when I was eighty-seven years of age I took up cycling for the first time. I then bought a bicycle and used to have some rides around Gravesend; but I had to give it up. I attribute my longevity very much to the fact that I have been a total abstainer for eighty-two years."

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THE ANSWER.

"Are there really such things as athletic pains?"

"Gosh, man! Did you never hear of a jumping toothache?"

WHAT TO PUT OFF.

Always put off to-night what you are going to put on in the morning.

was very much cheered by her maid's good report.

"Of course she is sure to look pale, that is only natural. Do you know, Baines, I fancy Miss Hamilton must have had a slight attack of sunstroke; she will run about without anything on her head."

"Yes, miss; I think you're right, miss," was Baines' reply; but, while she brushed and arranged the soft, golden curls, the maid was thinking to herself, shrewdly and quietly, "It weren't no sunstroke, more like a heart stroke. There were a look in the poor thing's eyes as she smiled at me just now, that give me quite a turn. I wonder what has happened to her? She's a sweet young creature, as don't deserve any misfortune, that she don't!"

And while Dorothy was chatting on lightly to her maid, Nancy was making her way slowly to the quiet end of the garden, that quiet nook that had been her one trysting place down by the lower lake.

"I must get strong, I must have courage to meet them all," she said to herself over and over again, "they—they must not see that anything is wrong or—"

She dreaded everything. She had gauged Crawshaw to his uttermost depths; she knew if she broke one letter of her bond that her uncle—that sole surviving link to her dear, dead mother—would be disgraced, dishonored, perchance even killed by the result of his shame. And as if to make assurance still more sure, Crawshaw did not fail to remind her of her vow.

As she was leaving the pleasure, as the flower grounds were called, and about to enter the wilder and rougher part, she met one of the grooms, who was evidently bent on finding some person, and yet whose attention was drawn every other moment to a dog who crawled feebly beside him.

As he saw Nancy his face cleared and he touched his hat.

"You want me," she said, stopping and thinking vaguely how faint her own voice sounded in her ears; and then her eyes fell on the collic whose laborious breathing betrayed its sufferings, and whose handsome, pathetic eyes solicited her pity.

In an instant her own misery was forgotten, and she was on her knees beside the animal.

"What has happened? Oh! what has happened to her?" she cried, sharply; her great, tender heart could never bear the sight of a dumb creature's pain.

The groom shifted his foot uneasily.

"She's only a bit lame, miss," he answered, hurriedly.

"Lame?" She is ill, dying; look at her eyes, they are asking us to help her. See, she cannot stand upright; something has happened to her—what is it? Foster must doctor her; he is so clever and good with dogs. Oh, poor Zoe! poor Zoe!"

Her little white hand caressed the collic's sleek head, while a pang shot through her heart afresh at every short, hard breath that came from the poor animal. Everything was forgotten at that moment but pity for the dog, who had grown to know and like her even in the few short times it had been over at the Hall.

"She should not be out here walking," Nancy said, coldly, to the man; she thought him heedless and cruel. "She must go to the stables at once."

tell you that if you breathe one word of the truth about your uncle to any individual here or hereafter, I will at once commence proceedings against him. Understand me plainly, not one word of the news I brought you, or of the motive that has prompted you to be my wife; do this, and you know the consequences—your uncle will be convicted and imprisoned, first on a charge of forgery, then on robbery. He is not strong nor young, and so, if you care to have the onus of his death—for he is sure to die—upon your conscience, you—"

She could read no farther. With a gesture of intolerable pain, she crumpled the paper in her hand, then tore it into a hundred shreds, and cast it to the soft summer breeze, to be carried away to the uttermost corners of the earth.

"Oh, Zoe, Zoe," she moaned, crouching down by the dog, "what have we done that we should be tortured like this? I may have committed some wrong, but you—"

The poor creature tried feebly to lick her gentle hand, and at the touch a flood of hot tears broke from her eyes, while a shiver of dread and repugnance passed through her frame; as if a shadow of the future that crept near to make her misery greater? Was it a grim prognostication of what was to come? She did not know; but she was faint and ill when the two men came back through the trees.

"Carry her carefully, Foster," she said to the old head groom, who had lived at the Hall for nearly half a century; "and, Foster, do not let Miss Dorothy know if you can help it; she—she will be so grieved. Poor Zoe! Good-bye—good-bye."

She bent and kissed the dog again, and then she turned and walked steadily away down to that dear, well-remembered spot at the lake's edge.

"Oh, love—oh, life!" she cried, to herself, as she stood alone beneath the low-hanging branches of the trees. "You will never know what I am enduring—you will never know. Pray God you may never be given such agony as has fallen on me."

The episode of the wounded dog had unnerved her—her strength and courage were fleeting fast. In a few short moments he would be returned—he would rush to seek her—she would call her name. Nancy covered her pale lips with her hands to still the bitter cry that escaped from them.

Yes, he would come—love's knowledge is almost infinite; he would trace her here, and then—Then what? How would she greet him? What words could she use?



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JUST ONE WOMAN IN THOUSANDS

WHO CAN SAY "DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS MADE ME WELL!"

Mrs. Louis Delorme who was always tired and nervous and suffered from Backache, tells how she found a cure.

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"I suffered for five years from Backache and too frequent urination, which destroyed my sleep," Mrs. Delorme states. "My head would ache, and I was always tired and nervous. My limbs were heavy, and I had a dragging sensation across the loins. Dodd's Kidney Pills made me well. I used in all ten boxes, but they fixed me up."

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THE TOWER OF BABEL.

The German excavators of ancient Babylon believe that they have identified the remains of the Tower of Babel, although there appears to be some doubt as to which of three structures constitutes the foundation of the real Babel. Further excavations are to be made, and are expected to settle the question. The ruins of Nebuchadnezzar's palace, where Belshazzar's feast took place, and where Alexander the Great died, have been shown to cover the remains of quay walls built on the riverside by Sargon and Nabopolassar. The enormous brick buildings constructed by the Babylonian architects were veneered with glazed and colored bricks in ornamental designs.

TWO-EDGED.

The bridegroom of a year went down to his office one day grinning from ear to ear. All the morning he hummed and whistled till his partner asked him the reason for such elation.

"My good wife told me this morning that I am a model husband," he answered proudly.

"I don't call that much of a compliment."

"I'd like to know why not?"

"Well, you just look that word 'model' up in the dictionary," was the advice.

He did, and this is what he read: "Model: a small pattern; a miniature of something on a larger scale."

WHAT, INDEED

Optimist—"Yes, sir, if you'll drink buttermilk three times a day you'll live ten years longer."

Pessimist—"But what's the use of living ten years longer if you have to drink buttermilk three times a day?"

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"That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet."—Matthew.

One of the most striking and suggestive sayings of the gospel is the naive explanation Matthew gives of this and that act of Jesus, "that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet." It is a luminous expression, masterful, dramatic.

One sees a life moving according to programme laid out ages ago; a personal career which rises from a petty thing of chance and becomes a part of unfolding destiny, a cog in the great wheel of time; it is fatalism, but only the sweet juice of fatalism, with the bitter rind thrown away.

Every doctrine has some good and some bad in it. Any statement of truth, followed to an extreme exclusion of all other truths, becomes unreason.

And there is a vast deal of truth and comfort in the old creed of predestination. There is a sense of rest comes to the mind with a realization of the sovereign and all compelling will of God. Always, of course, provided one believes, as we might say, in moderation, and does not push his faith to the point of paralysis.

NOT THE WHOLE TRUTH.

For, while predestination is true, it is not the whole truth. For no truth can be wholly crowded into a statement—nothing but life can perfectly inclose or express truth. It is not the word made printer's ink; it is the word made flesh, which is complete, well rounded, and safe to follow.

The source of dissipation in life is the feeling that one is the creature and puppet of chance. Hence spring our mad follies, our profligate wastes, our toxic pleasures and septic negligences. If it's all luck, then let us eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die.

When one speaks of destiny, one ordinarily refers to only one event in life—to wit: death. But the end of life is not the only part that is scheduled. It is all according to programme. We are born each on his appointed day, as much as Jesus himself came not until "the fullness of time." And every man's life is a plan of God, as Bushnell puts it. The varied structure of our days is made after some plan drawn upon the divine trestle board. There are blue prints and specifications in

heaven for each soul's growth.

A conviction like this must give one poise. It corrects the dangerous extremes of despair and overconfidence. It takes away worry. It removes our nervous sense of haste. "He that believeth shall not make haste." It spreads a summer calm throughout our thoughts. It clears the brain and steadies the hand. The spirit of man becomes a candle of the Lord.

When we exclaim that we cannot accept fatalism we are guilty of our western fault, which is—logic. Carrying fatalism to its logical extreme, it is

A DEADENING THING,

and produces only a stoic stolidity. But why carry it to an extreme

The art we western people need to learn is to extract the feeling, the flavor, the life element, out of a dogma, and not run it down to its pitiless logical end. For, as I have said, there is not a solitary credo, whether in Christianity, positivism, rationalism, or in any other religion or philosophy which does not become eventually false and salt and bitter, if treated with pure reason alone.

It is only in the temperamental mixture and blend of all the great truths that we gain wisdom and peace.

Let me feel, therefore, that this day is marked out for me; that the past, good and bad, is inevitable (even if it was not), and is now dissolved into the ocean waters of the infinite purpose; that all reform and right work, all truth and goodness and noble action are almighty; their failure is only seeming; they have in themselves the very toughness and conquering indestructibility of God himself; that every mean deed and impure thought and cruel gratification and unworthy self-indulgence must meet its purifying pain and whitening grief some time somewhere; that the stars are my friends and the three fates are motherly souls; that whatever power made the lily and clothes it created the sparrow and marks its fall, has also a place and programme for me; in fine, let me, in my little corner also, go about my father's business, even as the great teacher, without fear or haste or heat, moving as planets move, doing what I may do "that it may be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet."

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,
APRIL 23.

Lesson IV.—Joash repairs the Temple, 2 Kings 11. 21 to 12. 16.

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Chapter 11, verse 21. Jehoash —

grown to full maturity, and he proceeded to take the whole matter out of the hands of those who had done nothing, for it pained him to see the house of God falling into such rank decay.

9-12. How Jehoash got together the money necessary to repair the temple, and how he disposed of it. The priest was ordered to place a chest at the entrance to the temple, beside the altar of burnt offering which occupied a commanding place in the midst of the outer court. Whosoever the chest was filled with

HEALTH

CARS AND PNEUMONIA.

The board of health of one of the largest cities in the United States has lately pointed out in its bulletin that the local death-rate from pneumonia is entirely too high, and suggests that the chief reason for this state of things may be looked for in the condition of the public vehicles of transportation. People generally are much better educated as to the need for ventilation than they were a few years ago. Many thousands to-day sleep with open windows and air their premises through the day who never thought of such a thing a few years ago. In addition to this, attention is now paid to the proper ventilation of schoolrooms and workshops, to the enormous benefit of the public health. But preaching has not produced practise in all cases, and the public must work out its own salvation by a constant insistence upon its rights in this matter.

Especially is this true in its application to street-cars, steam-cars, and public conveyances generally. These are for all alike, and there is no way to prevent the juxtaposition of the sick and the well, or to say that the gripe convalescent shall not sit side by side with the person just ready to play host to the gripe germ. After a trip on any city conveyance at the crowded hour, with its packed mass of sitting and standing humanity, and, in most instances, its tightly closed ventilators, one does not wonder at gripe epidemics, but only at their temporary cessation.

On the railroad-cars one runs as much risk, if not more, for though they are not so crowded, the time spent on them is longer, and the air through the winter months is unspeakably vile. This is insured by the double windows, the closed ventilators, and the corridor entrance which is replacing the old open-door cars on many lines. These open-door cars were bitterly reviled because of the uncomfortable cold air that rushed in at every stop, but in that very thing lay their virtue.

The present ventilation system would do very well if it were only brought into use, but of what avail is it to legislate in the name of health, and to multiply little apertures all round a car if they are to be kept closed by the whim of an imperious conductor? The good old British rule that "you control your own window" is better than this. It leads, it is true, to a considerable amount of squabbling, but although the passengers may grow heated, the compartment is cooling off, which is the important thing.—Youth's Companion.

GIVE DIGESTION REST.

When there is, temporarily, great mental strain it is best rather to decrease than to increase the amount of food, and make it up when normal conditions are restored. The strain will be better borne if the digestive system is relieved partly or entirely, allowing the nervous energy to be diverted to the brain or muscles, as the case may be. If this be not done the diges-

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the natives would conceive a pre-judice against any subsidized paper and stop reading it. One intelligent London weekly observes that in the long run a better scheme would be for the "friendless" government to furnish to the native newspapers regularly all the items and statements it wishes to see published and trust that gradually the more sensible and honorable of them will perceive the utility of printing this material as news matter of interest and value. The idea strikes one as promising. After all, the British government of India is a hard fact, and even those who dislike it should wish to know what it is and what it does. The demand for impartial reports would grow in India as it has grown elsewhere with the spread of education and intelligence.

PRICES UP, MORE MONEY.

Cost of Living Thirty Years Ago and Now.

A writer in a French woman's paper makes an interesting comparison between the cost of living for a fashionable woman to-day and thirty years ago.

An income of \$4,000 was counted as wealth thirty years ago," says the writer. "The woman who dressed in the height of fashion paid anything between \$30 and \$60 for a smart frock, while a hat that cost as much as \$30 was looked upon as an unheard-of extravagance.

"The most elegant hats were seldom priced above \$9, and as for a morning gown trimmed with lace and ribbon, it might be had for \$10 of \$15. The highest price given for an evening cloak was about \$60, and if a woman treated her friend at a confectioner's shop she would spend less than half a dollar on chocolate and cakes for both.

"A drive in the park cost less than a dollar and a carriage could be hired for the whole day at \$5. Anybody who hired a carriage by the month was thought very rich and those who had their own were spoken of as millionaires.

"Compare this with to-day. A simple walking costume is priced at from \$60 to \$120. An inexpensive visiting frock will cost anything above \$150, while a really elegant morning gown cannot be had under \$100. A fur cloak is not dear at \$4,000 and a plain hat costs \$40. Hats may run up to \$300 or more.

"Most smart women have their own automobiles, while less fortunate sisters must be content with hiring a car at \$10 for half a day. Afternoon teas run into dollars, and altogether an income of \$20,000 a year is, according to the Parisian phrase, just good enough to make \$40,000 worth of debts.

A curious fact is that incomes of \$20,000 a year are not now so very much thought of. This is true not only of Paris but also of London, St. Petersburg and even Berlin, Dresden and Frankfurt, and the question is asked "Where has all the money come from."

WHAT THEY SAY.

Some women say they want to vote,
Some other say they don't;
Some men say we'll see them vote.
Some others say we won't.

Try discounting your burdens by counting your blessings.

Lesson IV.—Joash repairs the Temple, 2 Kings 11. 21 to 12. 16.

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Chapter 11, verse 21. Jehoash—Popularly known as Joash. He was the eighth ruler of Judah, his grandmother Athaliah's brief usurpation being the only break in the Davidic line in the history of Judah. The revolution by which he was placed on the throne is the only one record in Judah's long history. There were more stirring times in Israel.

1. Jehu—He will ever be remembered as the effective instrument in bringing to an end the house of Omri, according to the prophecy of Elijah. He was, with Bidkar, close to Ahab, and witnessed the official murder of Naboth, and heard as well the doom pronounced upon Ahab by the prophet. As commanding officer in the army of Jehoram, in the siege of Ramothgilead, Jehu was selected by the revolutionary party under Elisha to succeed the king who had been severely wounded and removed to Jezreel. Hastening thither, he slew Jehoram, as well as Ahaziah, king of Judah, who was present, and, riding up to the palace, ordered the ruthless assassination of Jezebel, who had survived her husband, Ahab, twelve years. This bloodshed was followed by the destruction of all the princes of Ahab's line, and the slaughter of the Baal worshippers at Samaria. Jehu then reigned for twenty-eight years.

Beersheba—A village in the extreme south of Israel, famous as the residence of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.

2. Jehoash did that which was right—After the death of Jehoiaada, who for some years after the coronation continued as guardian for the young king, Jehoash is said by the chronicler (2 Chron. 24) to have departed somewhat from the way in which he had been instructed at any rate, the revolution was not complete from a religious point of view, for Jehoash still permitted the high places (hilltop sanctuaries of Baal), and leniently winked at the heathen sacrifices of the people (2).

1. All the money—There were three sources from which this was drawn: (1) current coin; (2) assessments, for the redemption of personal vows (see Lev. 27. 2); (3) free-will offerings in coin. According to 2 Chron. 24, the principal source of revenue was the half-shekel appointed by Moses to be paid by every Israelite for the maintenance of the tabernacle (Exod. 30. 11-16).

5. Every man from his acquaintance—The priests were in addition (according to the Chronicles) to raise a personal subscription from among their friends throughout the country, each priest having jurisdiction among certain of his own kin.

Repair the breaches of the house—Jehoash had been brought up secretly in a part of the temple, and it was natural for him to wish to restore its beauty and neglected worship. Under Athaliah the sacred treasures had been transported to the house of Baal, and both the walls and the foundations of the temple were sadly in need of reconstruction.

7. Jehoash called for Jehoiaada—The plans of the boy king had miscarried because of the shiftlessness of the priests. But now he had

9-12. Now Jehoash got together the money necessary to repair the temple, and how he disposed of it. The priest was ordered to place a chest at the entrance to the temple, beside the altar of burnt offering which occupied a commanding place in the midst of the outer court. Whenever the chest was filled the contributions were gathered into bags and carried into the palace and there counted by the high priest and the king's private secretary. The money was then carefully weighed out to the architects, and by them paid to those who were to do the work and provide the material.

13. The vessels necessary for the proper conducting of the sacrifices of the temple were not made with this money, it being devoted exclusively to the repairing of the fabric of the house. But there must have been a surplus of some sort, for Chronicles tells us (2 Chron. 24. 14) that "of the rest were made vessels for the house of the Lord."

15. Reckoned not with the men—There were no specifications, the laborers and overseers being of the ideal sort that can be trusted to deal squarely.

16. Trespass-offerings—This money, and that received for guilt (sin) offerings (Lev. 5. 1-6), belonged to the priests, being paid to them, according to the Jewish regulation, for fines, and, possibly for the purchase of sacrifices.

UNCLE HIRAM TO NEPHEW.

On the Advantage of Being Able to Make Up His Mind Quickly.

"You will find, Stevey," said Uncle Hiram to his hopeful nephew, "a great satisfaction and a great help in being able to make up your mind.

"Don't be a dilly dallyer, always undecided, never knowing what you want to do. You don't want to jump at things without thought, you want to be sure you're right, but you don't want to be too long about it; you want to be able to make up your mind. Better to blunder now and then than to lack decision.

"This is the point to which some people can never bring themselves. They weigh things pro and con till they get confused and don't know what to do. This weighing things over, Stevey, when unduly prolonged not only confuses us, it saps and dissipates our very energy, literally leaves us weak and nerveless; we not only don't know what to do but if we did know we'd be powerless to do it; we'd have to wait and recuperate till our strength came back and our head came clear again.

"The ability to decide which some men possess is more or less a gift. Most of us are often in doubt, we don't know what to do; but you will find some men, a few clear headed and resolute men to whom we instinctively turn, who are never in doubt, whose discernment is always true, who always know what to do and who are always right. I hope, Stevey, that you will prove to be thus endowed.

"But whether or not this shall prove so, whether or not you shall discover yourself blessed with the gifts of sound common sense and a clear vision, don't dillydally over things. Make up your mind! In this power and this exercise you will find a great inward satisfaction and a great help, and so strengthened yourself you will be all the more helpful to other people."

amount of food, and make it up when normal conditions are restored. The strain will be better borne if the digestive system is relieved partly or entirely, allowing the nervous energy to be diverted to the brain or muscles, as the case may be. If this be not done the digestive system will be weakened, whereas by the other course it will be strengthened. You cannot work brain or muscle to their fullest capacity and at the same time work the digestive and eliminative system to its limit.

A WEALTHY CABINET.

Six Members of the New French Government are Millionaires.

France's new Cabinet has an interesting personal side. There are six millionaires in it—millionaires in francs. They are M. Monis, M. Berteaux, M. Cailloux, and three of the minor Ministers. A curious peculiarity of the new Ministry is that seven of the Ministers and three Under-Secretaries of State have never been in power before. Another peculiarity is that there are eight representatives of the south of France, five of the centre, one of the west, and two of the east, in the Cabinet, and that the north of France is not represented at all.

All Paris is laughing at the narrow escape of M. Masse, the new Minister of Commerce. Just before he received the offer of his portfolio from the new Prime Minister, M. Lasse wrote an article for *The Lanterne*, in which he was extremely plain spoken about M. Monis and his attempt to form a Cabinet. In the evening Mme. Masse arrived in great haste at the office of *The Lanterne* to ask for her husband's article, which, for private reasons, he did not wish to be printed. Since writing it M. Masse had been offered a portfolio in the Cabinet he had attacked so eloquently and he has accepted it.

WOMAN TRAVELS AFRICA.

Her Only Escort Was Her Black Bearers.

Mrs. Roby, wife of an American brain specialist now residing in Japan, is the first white woman who has ever travelled the wilds of Central Africa without a white escort.

Mrs. Roby, who has just returned to London, went to Australia in October, 1909, then to New Zealand, the South Sea Islands and thence to South Africa, arriving at Durban last May.

She followed the route taken by the Duke of Connaught in her tour of South Africa, but continued right up to Equatorial Africa, making an especial study of native conditions in the Congo.

"For hundreds of miles," says Mrs. Roby, "I was alone except for black bearers. When the bearers became mutinous I would deal with them unaided.

"I had one very good boy of the name of Thomas, who saved my life when I had a bad attack of fever. My temperature rose to 107 degrees. The boy persistently kept pouring cold water over my head after letting down my hair. I was quite unconscious and slept for five days."

A man never realizes how expensive a good time is until afterward.

Teacher—"You don't know what this word is?" Pupil—"No." Teacher—"What is your coat made of?" Pupil—"Father's old pants."

MARK TWAIN'S WITTY JOKES

HUMOROUS REMARKS MADE ON DIFFERENT OCCASIONS.

Some of His Brightest Witticisms Are to be Found in After Dinner Speeches.

The famous humorist, "Mark Twain," who last year died, was a wit before he left the nursery. One day his father led him into the garden, and, pointing to a bed of flowers that had a considerable number of weeds in it, said: "I want you to weed out this flower-bed." Young Clemens looked at it for a moment, and then naively inquired, "Wouldn't it be better, father, to flower out this weed-bed?"

London politics are not a little proud of the compliment Mark Twain paid them when he visited England in 1907. They would not only salute me," he observed, "but would hold up their puissant hands and paralyze the commerce of the world's greatest city just to let me across the street."

It was during this visit that a London paper, either by accident or design, came out on the day of his landing with this placard:—

MARK TWAIN ARRIVES. ASCOT CUP STOLEN.

This was too much for "Mark." He publicly declared that he had not got the cup. He didn't know where it was. He didn't want to know. All he wanted was that his character should be cleared at once. The sequel came when the Savage Club took up the joke and presented the humorist with

A FACSIMILE OF THE CUP.

Talking of this incident reminds one of Twain's "Notice to the Next Burglar," which he wrote on a piece of cardboard and nailed to his front door, after burglars had entered his Connecticut home and carried off considerable booty. The notice ran:—

"There is nothing but plated ware in this house now and henceforth. You will find it in the dining-room, over in the corner by the basket of kittens. If you want the basket put the kittens in the brass thing. Do not make a noise. It disturbs the family. You will find goloshes in the front hall by that thing which has umbrellas in it—a chiffonier, I think they call it, or a pergola, or something like that. Please close the door."

The humorist had something of a tenderness for burglars.

Mark Twain has not been wanting in personal homage of humble admirers, and often a representative of them rang his doorbell and asked the privilege of paying him his respects. At long since a big, good-natured countryman—a butcher, as he introduced himself—after a few minutes' chat, asked, "Now, tell me for a fact, are you the one that wrote all them books?" "Truly, I am," said Mark. "Of course you are, of course you are," cried the earnest fellow, "but, by George, I shouldn't think it by your looks." Whereat Mark was hugely tickled.

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FORTY CIGARS A DAY

for twenty years. It was a great

story goes that the lady refused him three times, but at last consented.

For a wedding gift the father of the bride bought and furnished a handsome house for the couple in Buffalo. This gift was kept a secret from Twain, who, when he saw it after the marriage ceremony, was much moved by the generosity of the donor. Finally, with tears in his eyes, he said, "Mr. Langdon, whenever you are in Buffalo, if it's twice a year, come right up here and bring your bag with you. You may stay overnight, if you want to, and it sha'n't cost you a cent."

CANADA'S BUFFALO PRIZE.

Largest Herd in the World Thriving in Immense Enclosure.

The largest herd of buffalo in the world is now owned by Canada. They form a picturesque group as they roam over the new national reserve set apart for them near Wainwright, a city that has sprung up 125 miles east of Edmonton on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

Canadians recognized the need of action if the bison were to be preserved, and before the Americans realized it, says the World Today, they had purchased practically the entire herd of 600 or 700 from Michael Pablo of Montano, who had carefully gathered them together and protected them on his great ranch near Ravalli.

In the Wainwright National Park were placed more than five hundred buffalo, which were transported across the international boundary line by train from the Pablo ranch. The rounding up and loading of the cars of this large number of untamed animals and their young was no light task, and after a long period of hard work more than a hundred and fifty of the most unruly had to be left behind, having stampeded every time an attempt was made to drive them toward a corral.

An especially well organized effort will be made to ship these a little later. In addition seventy-five buffalo now confined in a park at Banff will be sent to the Wainwright reserve. The natural increase of the herd has brought up the number to nearly a thousand. In the present favorable environment it is expected that they will multiply rapidly.

Although kept within the boundaries of the reserve, the bison can hardly be said to be in confinement. Their stamping ground covers an area of 107,000 acres—105 square miles. It is twenty-five miles in an air line the longest way across. A wire fence eight feet high and seventy-three miles long enclosed it.

When the fence was completed it was found that twelve wild deer and one wapiti had been fenced in. Eighteen small lakes and a number of streams are within the park. Prairie chickens, ducks and other game find a resting place here undisturbed by the hunter.

The park is truly a buffalo paradise. The grounds bear every evidence that in other days they have been a favorite haunt of the lords of the plains. Everywhere are outlines of old buffalo trails and wallows.

These wallows are being reopened by the new denizens and once again the trails are being marked by the hoofs of the bison. The grasses are the kind that the buffalo specially like. As the ordinary span of a buffalo's life is a hundred years it may be that some of the herd are revisiting scenes of their youth.

Michael Pablo, from whom the Canadian government purchased the

The Home

Notes of Particular Interest to Women Folks

DUMPLINGS.

Never Fail Dumpling.—Get two and one-half pounds of veal or beef off the round and have it cut in cubes, put tablespoon of butter in kettle and brown meat in butter, then salt and cover meat with water and let it simmer until tender. Take flour sifter two-thirds full of flour, pinch of salt, two teaspoonsful of baking powder sifted in the flour, and milk enough to make a soft biscuit dough. Don't use rolling pin. Pat it with your hands, cut with biscuit cutter, and drop in kettle with meat when it is boiling briskly. Have plenty of water in kettle but not enough to submerge the dumplings. Boil twenty minutes without removing the kettle cover. Can boil your potatoes with this if you like, thus using only one kettle. This will serve a family of five plentifully.

Rhubarb Dumpling.—Two cupfuls flour, two tablespoonfuls butter or butter and lard mixed, pinch salt, one teaspoonful baking powder, scant one-half cupful milk. Take a small portion of dough and roll out thin; have rhubarb washed and cut in fine pieces, fill center of rolled dough with rhubarb, covered with sugar, place small piece butter on sugar and roll into dumpling. Continue until all dough is used. Place dumplings in pan, cover with one cupful sugar, tablespoonful flour and bits of butter; pour over this two cupfuls water. Bake in oven.

Fruit Dumplings.—Preserve enough dough when shaping loaves of bread to make as many small biscuits as desired. Roll small biscuits about the size of an egg into balls and place them in a granite baking pan. Let them rise as for biscuits. Have ready some sweetened canned fruit with sufficient juice almost to cover the biscuits, one quart of the canned fruit to one dozen dumplings. Pour fruit over the dumplings, then put them in the oven. Bake forty-five minutes.

Potpie Dumplings.—Take the remnants of a roast or any bits of left over meats (even slices of tough fried meat will do), cut in small pieces, place in a kettle and add two or three pints of hot water, season to taste with salt and pepper and a dump of butter, or meat fryings will do nearly as well. Simmer gently for an hour and then make dumplings.

Dumplings.—Four cups of sifted flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt, and enough sweet milk to wet it so it will drop rather stiffly from the spoon; drop in spoonfuls while the soup is boiling. Be sure and add enough water before dropping in the crust as it takes up a good deal of soup.

PUDDINGS.

Yorkshire Pudding.—Three-fourths pint of flour, three eggs, one and one-half pints of milk, pinch salt, one and one-half teaspoons baking powder. Sift flour and eggs

ly. When wanted for use shake well and sponge the garments to be cleansed. This is an excellent mixture for cleaning soiled black cashmere and woolen dresses, coat collars, and black felt hats.

Stains of Leather.—A piece of cloth dipped in spirits of wine and rubbed on soiled leather will remove every spot on it.

TIMELY HELPS.

Always keep a dish of crackers in your warming oven and you'll never have soft, tasteless crackers.

When polishing the stove add a little sugar or syrup to polish and it will not burn off so quickly.

Cut bars of laundry soap in half, place on top shelf to dry out, and the soap will last longer.

To prevent tomato soup from curdling add hot tomatoes (with soda in) to the thickened milk.

Above your sink have screw hooks, on which hang small articles used often. It will save many steps. Cabinet and shelf combined.

An effective scarf for a hall table may be made of luen crash with a figure embroidered on each end and of the same design as the paper on the wall.

For washing windows, which should be done when the sun is not shining on them, use warm water with a tablespoonful of kerosene added to each pail of water.

In baking biscuits have the oven quite hot at first, but lower the temperature just a little before the biscuits are ready to take out. This will add materially in making the biscuits light.

Tie a narrow ribbon bow above the handle of your umbrella. Leave a loop long enough to slip over your arm when you go shopping. This is a good way to avoid losing your favorite umbrella.

A very good garnish for boiled fish, can be made with fried oysters. Make a batter of flour, milk and two eggs, season it to taste, dip the oysters in it, then in breadcrumbs, and fry them a pale brown.

The best thing to clean rusty needles—better than emery—is common earth. Just go out in the garden and stick your rusty needles into the ground two or three times and you will be surprised at the result.

Housekeepers who have tried both ways say that it is far better to trim the selvedge from material before making it into pillow cases. The case will be much smoother and will not wrinkle along the seam.

Fish scales may easily be removed by pouring hot water on them slowly until the scales curl, then scraping quickly. Wash in several waters, having the last cold and well salted, and no slime will be left.

If a picture be crushed in the mail dampen the crease, press with a warm iron and then place under a press or weight for a short time, having first protected the picture side by covering with white paper.

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for twenty years. It was a great deprivation to him when the doctor cut his allowance down to four a day.

"My only restriction as regards tobacco," he once remarked, "is never to smoke more than one cigar at a time. I never smoke when asleep, and never refrain when awake. As for drinking, my rule is when others drink I like to help, otherwise I remain dry."

When Mark Twain was a young and struggling newspaper writer in San Francisco a lady of his acquaintance saw him one day with a cigar box under his arm, looking in at a shop window. "Mr. Clemens," she said, "I always see you with a cigar box under your arm. I am afraid you are smoking too much." "It isn't that," said Mark Twain, "I'm moving again."

He once had a sly dig at Andrew Carnegie, with whose munificence he was greatly impressed. "My dear Carnegie," he wrote, "I see by the papers you are prosperous. I want to get a hymn-book; it costs \$1.50. If you will send me this hymnbook I will bless you, God will bless you, and it will do a great deal of good.—Yours truly, Mark Twain. P.S.—Don't send me the hymnbook; send me the \$1.50."

In his autobiography Mark Twain has placed it on record that he was "a sickly and precarious and tiresome and uncertain child," and lived mainly on allopathic medicines for the first seven years of his life. "I don't think I needed them," he said, referring to his childhood during a speech on his seventieth birthday. "It was for economy; and my father took a drug store for a debt, and it made cod-liver oil cheaper than the other breakfast foods. He had nine barrels of it, and it lasted me for seven years."

THEN I WAS WEANED.

The rest of the family had to get along with rhubarb and ipecac and such things because I was the pet. I was the first Standard Oil Trust."

Talking of speeches, at a public dinner on one occasion Mark Twain's name was associated with the toast of literature by an orator who, in the course of his speech, eloquently referred to Homer, Milton, Shakespeare, and — Mark Twain! The humorist, in reply, thanked the speaker for his allusions, and excused himself for acknowledging them at greater length by saying: "Homer is dead; Milton is dead; Shakespeare is dead, and I am not feeling any too well myself!"

Mark Twain gained a reputation as a humorist in the days when he was writing for the newspapers, and a comedian once offered him five dollars for half-a-dozen good jokes. Mark refused on the ground that if he were found with five dollars on him he would be suspected of stealing the money, and if the comedian were discovered with six good jokes he would be arrested for theft.

Mark even made a joke of his marriage. When he made his trip on the Quaker City, which resulted in that world-famous book, "The Innocents Abroad," he was fascinated with the ivory miniature of the sister of a Mr. Langdon which hung in the stateroom. On returning to America he sought out the original of the miniature. The

ed by the new denizens and once again the trails are being marked by the hoofs of the bison. The grasses are the kind that the buffalo specially like. As the ordinary span of a buffalo's life is a hundred years it may be that some of the herd are revisiting scenes of their youth.

Michael Pablo, from whom the Canadian overnment purchased the herd is a pure blooded Indian, and one of the wealthiest of the red men. He received \$200,000 from the Dominion for 600 head of buffalo.

Aroused by the loss of these buffalo, the United States has established a national bison range in the Flathead Indian Reservation, in Montana, comprising twelve thousand and eight hundred acres near the towns of Ravalli and Dixon, and it will be stocked by the American Bison Society. Some animals for a nucleus may be obtained from a herd of about eighty, owned by the Conrad estate near Kalispell.

GRIP WORST OF DISEASES.

Famous Medical Man Says He Fears It Worse Than Smallpox.

Dr. Thomas Addis Emmet, the famous physician and surgeon, who has just published his autobiography, has this to say of grip:—

"Of all diseases I fear the effects of grip more than any other. I would rather have an epidemic of cholera or smallpox, or both together, than one of grip. The disease is even more contagious than either cholera or smallpox. Sufferers should remain at home for their own benefit until convalescent. For several days the disease is being spread before the sufferer is likely to go to bed, when the probabilities are many suffer from pneumonia or some other complication which could have been avoided. The time must come when the law will compel the reporting of every case of grip to the Health Board as is done with other contagious diseases, from the fact that the beginning is generally so mild in character that the necessary care is not taken until too late."

CHARGED WITH BAYONET.

Soldier's Deadly Choler Caused Unusual Stir in Barracks.

A remarkable affair took place recently at the Infantry Barracks, York, England. A private soldier was taken before Col. King for a minor military offence and admonished, but not punished. When commanded to leave the room he drew a bayonet from one of the guards and made a determined rush at the colonel. He was stopped by Captain Peel (adjutant), who had a desperate struggle for the possession of the weapon. It was not until several members of the Guards had interfered that the man was overpowered. Colonel King and Captain Peel were uninjured, but the man had a finger broken in the struggle. He was confined in custody.

"I have always worked ten or fifteen hours a day," said the boastful man. "Well," replied the perverse philosopher. "It must be remarkably easy work, or you couldn't do so much of it."

"They say that when an ostrich is surprised he hides his head in the sand." "I wish to thunder he'd everlastingly hide his tail there," observed the man who had just settled a heavy millinery bill.

enough water before dropping in the crust as it takes up a good deal of soup.

PUDDINGS.

Yorkshire Pudding. — Three-fourths pint of flour, three eggs, one and one-half pints of milk, pinch salt, one and one-half teaspoons baking powder. Sift flour and powder together, add eggs beaten with milk, stir quickly into rather thinner batter than for griddle cakes, pour into dripping pan plentifully greased with beef drippings; bake in hot oven twenty-five minutes. Serve with roast beef.

Cherry Pudding.—Put alternate layers of canned cherries and broken almond macaroons in pudding dish. Add a small baked custard. On top of this put a meringue made of whites of two eggs, and sweeten. Set in oven and brown.

MARSHMALLOWS.

Marshmallow Candy.—Two tablespoonsfuls gelatin, three tablespoonsfuls each of hot and cold water, two cupfuls of sugar. Boil sugar till it forms a soft ball in water. Put gelatin to soak in cold water a few minutes, then melt by adding hot water. Pour sugar syrup over gelatin, beat twenty minutes, add teaspoonful of vanilla. Beaten white of egg improves when mixture is half beaten. Flour pan with corn starch. Cut into inch squares before wholly chilled, dipping knife into corn starch. This makes enough for twenty people.

Mashmallow Fudge.—Two cups of powdered sugar and a cup of cream are brought to the boiling point, gently stirring to prevent burning. Add one-quarter pound of chocolate and stir as needed until melted. Boil for about ten minutes, or until the mixture forms a pretty hard ball in cold water. Now add quickly a tablespoonful of butter, remove from the fire and beat briskly for ten minutes, then pour in a buttered pan containing a mixture of half a pound of marshmallows and a quarter pound of chopped pecan nut meats. Cut in squares.

CLEANING.

To Clean Lace.—To wash or clean fine linen or cotton lace make a suds with warm water and some good white soap and add a few drops of ammonia or a little powdered borax. Put the lace in this and let stand for half an hour, then spat with the hand until the dirt is all removed. Be careful not to rub, as it destroys the texture. If much soiled use two waters. When clean rinse twice and in the last water put a little clear boiled starch, about a tablespoonful to two quarts of water. Then squeeze dry. Cover a round glass bottle with clean white cloth and over this wind the lace, using small pins to keep points or scallops in position, set away, and when thoroughly dry unwind, taking out the pins carefully. If these instructions are carefully followed the lace will look as good as when new.

To Clean Feathers.—Cover the feathers with a paste made of pipe clay and water, rubbing them one way only. When quite dry, shake off all the powder and curl with a knife. Grebe feathers may be washed with white soap in soft water.

Cleaning Compounds.—Mix one ounce of borax and one ounce gum camphor with one quart boiling water. When cool add one pint of alcohol. Bottle and cork tight-

scrapping quickly. It was in several waters, having the last cold and well salted, and no slime will be left.

If a picture be crushed in the mail dampen the crease, press with a warm iron and then place under a press or weight for a short time, having first protected the picture side by covering with white paper.

If a wooden pail, begins to leak fill it with water and then stand in a tub of water. This will swell the wood and it will leak no more.

When a button comes off a shoe, run through all the other buttons with the same thread with which you replace the missing one. It will straighten them all and make the next button sewing a task far in the future.

Very often small holes in black or white kid gloves are better mended with court plaster than by sewing. Cut the plaster a little larger than the hole and apply with the unglazed back to the inside. This is too heavy for fabric gloves, however, and tears them still further.

A PARTY OF TWO.

"Did you ever got to a sap-party, "Did you ever, Uncle Jot " he Little Jot looked up inquiringly. His elbows were on his knees and his chin between his brown little palms. He had just come home from a sap-party himself—and such a splendid one!

"Did you ever, Uncle Jot " he repeated.

Uncle Jotham evaded the question a little.

"A sap-party came to me once," he said, reflectively.

Little Jot straightened himself instantly and looked interested.

"One March day he came — the sap-party, I mean. He came and went all day off and on. I got quite acquainted with him by night. I supposed, of course, he was a single party, but when the sap was running, he brought his wife—it was Mr. Woodpecker and his wife. They sat beside the little maple-tree out there in front of the house, and sipped sap as fast as it would run. How they did relish it! I almost thought I could hear them smack their lips, and I'm sure they whispered together and said, 'What excellent sap!' 'What a fine flavor!'"

"You see, he had drilled a little straight row of holes down the trunk of the maple-tree on the sunny side—not on the bleak northern side, no! He was too wise for that! Then he had waited for good sap weather to come, and then—the sap-party, you know."

"He sampled the clear, sweet liquid first himself from every one of the little holes, I suppose to make sure it was all right, and then set a day—a good sap day—for his wife to come and taste, too."

"I wish you could have seen the couple enjoy themselves, taking little sips and nodding at each other gravely, as much as to say, 'Good, isn't it!' Then they would wait patiently till the sap oozed out of the holes again. Every fine, warm day they came till the sap stopped running. Then the party was over."

"And so's the story, I suppose," little Jot said, regretfully. "I'd like to have been there my own self."

"But if you had been there, the 'party' wouldn't!" said Uncle Jotham.—Youth's Companion.

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For centuries good and bad news, prayers for help, secrets of state and tidings of war's victories and defeats have been sent under pigeons' wings. Egyptian records show that they were used in the land of the Pharaohs 13 centuries before Christ. Ovid tells that they carried the news of the Olympian games to the distant friends and relatives of the victors.

First-class carrier pigeons are very expensive, some breeding birds costing as much as \$300, and they can attain the remarkable speed of nearly 1,500 yards a minute.

During the Franco-German war pigeons proved their utility as Government letter carriers. When Paris was invested by the enemy and all the ordinary channels of communication with the outside world were cut off the attention of the authorities was directed to the fact that the carrier pigeons in the city could be brought into service. At first the suggestion was ridiculed, but the practicability of the plan was soon demonstrated and in a very short time birds were conveying news into and out of the besieged city almost hourly.

During the South African war, when Sir George White was beleaguered at Ladysmith, a few pigeons belonging to English fanciers which had been taken into the town before the siege proved of inestimable value to the gallant commander in conveying messages to the base at Durban.

The organization of pigeon posts for military purposes in Germany is of an extremely practical character. In addition to the various Government posts in the fortresses and at important strategic points most of the homing clubs place their birds in case of need at the disposition of the state, and in return for this the same protection is afforded to their pigeons as to those which are the property of the Government. They bear an official mark and it is a criminal offense to train or shoot them or to de-

What Other Papers Say.

Exchange.

With baseball on the northern side of the boundary and rebellion on the southern side, the people down Mexico way have stirring and troublesome times.

Toronto Globe.

It is now estimated that 450,000 immigrants will share in the good things of Canada during the current year. The twentieth century belongs to Canada, or Canada to the twentieth century.

London Advertiser.

Mr. Bradbury, one of the Conservative M. P.'s for Manitoba, declares that free trade in manufactured products is the policy of the Conservative party. Perhaps it is—in Mr. Bradbury's constituency.

Hamilton Times.

Cleanliness, truth, high principles, charity, courage, will in the end triumphantly vindicate themselves if our belief in the victory of good over evil is well founded. And there is surely no more suitable place for their practice than in the modern newspaper.

Windsor Record.

Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, made the statement in Montreal that it would not be long before there was a general election and that it would be fought out on the question of the reciprocity pact. What alarms the Conservatives is that reciprocity may come into force in time to give the people an opportunity to see its advantages.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Patriot.

Canada is marching forward with every prospect favoring a continuance of the prosperity and expansion which have been the wonder and the admiration of the world. The Government has taken a great step in advance in opening the way for freer trade with our great and rich neighbor at our side, and there is to be no turning back on the path of progress.

Galt Reformer.

That reciprocity could give the farmer larger profits and at the same time provide lower prices for the consumer is an "economic contradiction," writes an antagonist of the trade treaty. On the contrary, the contention is based upon an elemental economic law. Reciprocity will widen and enlarge the farmer's market; greater markets mean naturally greater production; and greater production means cheaper production, and larger profits with lower prices. The process is inevitable.

Moncton Transcript.

Are there two Sir William Van Hornes? One of them is a Tory and tells the people of Canada that reciprocity will be ruinous to industries. There is another Sir William Van Horne, who is President of the Laurentide Paper Company. As President of that company he issues a notice calling for new stock, so that the company's business may be expanded to meet necessary business. There is a little inconsistency between the Sir William Van Horne who is a Tory and the Sir William Van Horne who is a business man.

Halifax Acadian Recorder.

Yet the very thing came to pass for which Mr. Northrup, M. P., declared

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Battleships wear coats of stout armor plate, as everybody knows, but everybody does not know that they wear undergarments which are produced chiefly from coconuts. Your most powerful man-of-war is really a very delicate object and requires special underclothing so that some vital parts of its anatomy may not become too cold and so that other equally vital portions may not become too hot.

From stem to stern, which is another way of saying from head to toe, your enormous super-Dreadnought is enveloped in an undergarment placed immediately behind its topcoat or armor plate. This is its special mackintosh, or, rather, waterproof, which acts as a protection from fire as well as water.

In the ordinary way if a shot pierced the side of a battleship water would pour in at the hole and possibly the ship might sink, but this is obviated by providing a backing to the armor. Great secrecy is kept in the various navies regarding the material used and its arrangement.

In many of the latest battleships, however, the coating is made of cellulose, which again is obtained from the fibrous coconut rind. Cellulose possesses the peculiar property of swelling immediately if it comes in contact with salt water. Therefore the moment that water pours in at a hole at the ship's side the cellulose almost instantly expands and so closes the aperture. Of course the cellulose is especially treated in order to render it fireproof.

A man-of-war has its vitality enormously diminished if certain portions of it become too cold, in much the same way as its human tenants. Accordingly its boiler and steam pipes are clothed with "jackets." In some cases the jackets are made of ordinary blanketing, others of a fibrous clay-like composition or even of close grained wood. In general the material used for a ship's underclothing of this description consists of mineral wool.

However, the great ship is more likely to suffer from the effects of heat than from those of cold. There is always the danger owing to the newer type of machinery employed that the powder magazines may get too hot.

In the latest men-of-war the stores are surrounded by a thick coating of mineral wool. Mineral wool, by the way, has nothing whatever to do with wool, as it consists of a mass of snowy threads of a kind of glass. It is made by blowing jets of high pressure steam through the furnaces in the manufacture of iron and steel.

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In the dockyards all men who are employed in packing the mineral wool in the spaces on the ships are obliged

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minion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the
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tending homesteader.

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may take a purchased homestead in certain
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private lot.

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reported to be possessed of a pigeon
which has been employed as a mes-
senger from one mill to another for
over 10 years. During that period it
has made over 2,000 journeys and
traveled over 29,000 miles. It is cal-
culated that to have sent the mes-
sages by wire would have cost \$1,500.

Homing pigeons are not only en-
dowed with marvelous speed, but
with great endurance. A few years
ago a bird belonging to the late King
Edward, who was a great pigeon en-
thusiast, as is King George, won the
national race from Lerwick, covering
510 miles at a velocity of 1,307 yards
a minute.

The Restorative.

"How's your wife's cold this morn-
ing?" asked a neighbor.

"Much better, thank you. There's
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the Sir William Van Horne who is a
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Yet the very thing came to pass for
which Mr. Northrup, M. P., declared
"they would hold up their hands." But
the same Mr. Northrup has spoken
and voted against it since then. The
truth is that these gentlemen are non-
plussed, stunned, as it were, with the
fact that Messrs. Fielding and Pater-
son succeeded in so easily obtaining
what Sir John A. McDonald, Sir
Leonard Tilley, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir
John Thompson and Hon. Geo. E.
Foster strove so hard and underwent so
many humiliations to attain, but failed.
It is not the economic effects of
reciprocity which they fear; it is the
prestige which accrues to Mr. Field-
ing and the Government from the suc-
cessful negotiation which has put
them in a panic and caused them to
swallow their words.

Weekly Sun, Toronto.

It is quite apparent to close observ-
ers that the opposition to reciprocity
has collapsed. From the day of Mr.
Fielding's announcement of the agree-
ment, it was apparent that the manu-
facturers began on the whole to with-
draw from the patriots, and a careful
survey of the daily press now assures
us that the manufacturers and their
dependent population are willing to
accept this measure for the relief of
the oppression of agriculture. It was
plain that outside of the Empire Club
and the Imperial Order of the Daugh-
ters of the Empire no one took any
stock in a British preference on Cana-
dian grain involving a reduction of
Canadian duties on British goods in
contemplation of which the Cana-
dian manufacturers' loyalty visibly
subsided. In view of the farmers' ur-
prising there was nothing left but to
choose between reciprocity and a
sanguinary defence of protection. The
choice was easily and wisely made.

The Feast of Nature.

The Feast of Nature was a grand
French revolutionary holiday, held
Aug. 10, 1793. A plaster image of Na-
ture was erected in the Place de la
Bastille, and the chief members of
the convention, public committees and
public functionaries knelt in adora-
tion, after which came firing of sa-
lutes, dancing and general rejoicings.
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such a remarkable nonconductor of
heat that it is used for covering the
refrigerators and the cold storage
chambers and therefore the explosive
stores.

In the dockyards all men who are
employed in packing the mineral wool
in the spaces on the ships are obliged
to wear masks. This is to prevent the
sharp needlelike particles from being
inhaled and so causing chest troubles
of fatal character.

The ammunition rooms themselves
are kept cool by a refrigerating plant
in addition to being clothed in mineral
wool, the same applying to the ammu-
nition passages. The wool is also
packed between the double bulkheads
which separate the boiler spaces from
the other portions of the vessel. Alto-
gether the uses of the mineral wool on
board are extremely numerous. Even
reindeer hair is to be met with on
board in the capacity of a particular
sort of underclothing. This material
is very light—considerably lighter than
cork, for instance—and it is not so sub-
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its many uses it is of great value as a
filling for the life buoys. — Boston
Transcript.

Smoking Before Meals.

People will persist in smoking, even
after they have read the following
from that eminent authority, the Lon-
don Lancet:

Smoking just before meals is to be
deprecated, because the pungency of
the pyrolytic products contained in
tobacco smoke renders the buccal mu-
cosa insensitive to alimentary stimula-
tion. In fact, the effect is to dull or
abolish the olfacto-gustatory reflex,
thus depriving us of what Pawlow
calls "appetite juice."

Self Confidence.

"Do you believe in all the views you
advocate?"

"Yes," replied Senator Sorghum,
after some hesitation, "I do, but I
doubt whether a less skillful reasoner
than myself would be able to convince
me of the correctness of some of
them."—Washington Star.

His Conclusion.

Mrs. Gnaggs—I'll never forget the
night you proposed to me. You acted
like a perfect fool. Mr. Gnaggs—That
wasn't acting.—Philadelphia Record.

Talebearers are just as bad as tale-
makers.—Sheridan.

TORTURE BY WATER.

The Third Degree in Sorcery Cases In
Louis XIV's Time.

One of the methods adopted by
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der the loins, so that the chest and
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upward, while the contents of a mea-
sure of two pints were forced by means
of a hose down the victim's mouth.
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he opened his teeth to breathe. After
every two pint measure he was given
a few seconds' rest and the opportu-
nity to confess. If he continued his de-
nial the question was reapplied until
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Correct Way to Roll Umbrella.

A badly rolled up umbrella, besides looking unsightly, does not wear half as long as it ought to. The process of rolling an umbrella is very simple. The majority hold it by the handle and keep twisting the stick with one hand, while with the other they twist and roll the silk. Instead of this they should take hold of the umbrella just above the ribs of the cover. These points naturally lie evenly with the stick. They should be kept hold of and pressed tightly against the stock and then the cover should be rolled up. Holding the ribs thus prevents them from getting twisted out of place or bending out of shape, and the silk is bound to follow evenly and roll smooth and tight. If an umbrella is rolled in this fashion it will look as if newly bought for a long time.—Boston Herald.

A Bible Library.

Probably the finest collection of Bibles in the world is that in the library of the General Theological seminary in Chelsea square, New York. In the fireproof Bible room on the second floor are more than 1,200 different editions of the Bible, in all about 2,500 volumes, arranged on shelves and in glass cases. Of these 555 editions are in Latin, making 1,053 volumes. Of "polyglot" editions—in more than one language—there are 93, in 500 volumes. The most interesting of the Bibles is the Gutenberg volume, printed at Moguntia between 1450 and 1455 by Jo-

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The Injured One.

"What did that woman do when her pet dog jumped on you and bit you?" "She gave me a very reproachful look," replied Plodding Pete, "and then she ordered the dog's valet to give it a bath.—Washington Star.

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BUSY PEOPLE.

Here's a Writer Who Says They Rarely Accomplish Big Things.

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My own experience of men in many lands has taught me that the most active are least valuable. It is a notable survival of the simian in man that so many people think that constant mental and physical activity is a measure of value. Busy people seldom accomplish anything. The statue, the poem, the painting, the solution of the economic, financial or social problem, the courage and steadfastness for war even are all born in seclusion and appear mysteriously from nowhere. Moliere, Cromwell, Washington, Lincoln, Shakespeare, Dante and Cervantes all appear from nowhere and promptly take command of the busybodies. What a crowd of men we all recall who were so busy making themselves remembered that they are already forgotten!—Price Collier in Scribner's Magazine.

Beards and Beliefs.

Why is it that there seems to be some vital connection between a man's beard and his belief? The late George Jacob Holyoake, in an article contributed to the Fortnightly Review of September, 1903, recalls the time—not so very long ago—"when only four men in Birmingham had the courage to wear beards. They were followers of Joanna Southcott. They did it in imitation of the apostles, and were jeered at in the streets by ignorant Christians." In the course of the same article Mr. Holyoake remarks that "George Frederick Munz, one of the two first members elected in Birmingham, was the first member who ventured to wear a beard in the house of commons, and he would have been insulted had he not been a powerful man and carried a heavy maula cane, which he was known to apply to any one who offered him a personal affront."—London Standard.

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Timber and Lumber.

"Paw, is there any difference between timber and lumber?"

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In the Kentish dialect "that" was spelt "thet" as early as A. D. 825. The use of "i" for "a," as in "lidy," was common from the Trent to the Thames in Elizabeth's time, and John Stow, writing in 1580, gives us "bylyffe" for "balliff." The use of "au" for "a" in such cockneyisms as "telegrauph" is of very old origin, and "ababt" and "abhtside" are both warranted by ancient use. As for "kep" and "slep" without the final "t," they are really uncorrupted words, the "t" being an intruder of late date.

Cheap by the Hour.

"I must say you've got a pretty lot of citizens to allow themselves to be

MONSTER WHALES.

One That Swallowed Whole a Shark Fifteen Feet Long.

Frank T. Bullen, the noted writer of sea tales, in one of his lectures said that in New Zealand he once saw a whale opened and there were found in its stomach a number of fish which must simply have swum down its throat, and among them was a shark fifteen feet long and nine feet round. The huge Greenland whale was described. Mr. Bullen asked his audience to imagine a monster of 250 tons and told how such a one was taken on a voyage in which he took part, enough whalebone being taken out of his head to pay a good dividend on the voyage. For six months in the year this particular kind of whale, which was the most helpless of all, led a life of alarms and excursions, for he was always being chased.

A third kind of whale, the hump-backed whale, was shown in a picture jumping from the water, and Mr. Bullen explained that this was no indication of joy in life. They were, in fact, if not driven out of their minds, certainly driven out of the water by parasites adhering to their bodies. This particular whale was greatly devoted to its young, and if a man happened to kill a calf he needed all his ingenuity to escape from the mother. On one occasion fifty-two boats went after whales in the bay of California and by accident a calf was killed. In one hour the parent destroyed fifty of the fifty-two boats, killing a number of men, and then sailed out to sea without a scratch.

BEN BUTLER'S BLUFF.

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General John A. Bingham was a member of the military tribunal that tried Mrs. Surratt and the Lincoln assassination conspirators.

After the trial in the subsequent debates in the house General B. F. Butler frequently charged that the commission had arrived at an unjust verdict and had convicted an innocent woman. In a memorable debate he boldly proclaimed that if the contents of a diary which had been found on the dead body of J. Wilkes Booth were ever made public it would disclose the fact that it contained the proof of Mrs. Surratt's innocence, which proof had been infamously suppressed by the commission. When General Bingham made a movement as though he would repel such an accusation, Butler dramatically drew a memorandum book from his breast pocket and held it aloft, but did not utter a word. Bingham naturally supposed that Butler had a copy of a diary such as he had spoken of. As a matter of fact the book contained nothing but blank leaves. General Butler was just bluffing.

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The history of successive visitations of the great plague as they relate to disturbances of the physical globe presents points of some interest. So late as the beginning of the last century there were those who traced with credulous terrors the planetary vagaries which were observed to have coincided with such calamities.

The recurrent waves of pestilence which swept over Europe and Asia before and during the middle ages, leaving death in its wake, were heralded and accompanied by extraordinary disturbances of the globe. Rome fell a prey to its ravages with appalling frequency. The first grave visitation occurred in 366 B.C., when the plague broke out with devastating severity and continued to rage for three years. Ten thousand died in a day at its height; the living were scarcely able to dispose of the dead.

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GENERAL PASSENGER TIME TABLE.
Eastern Standard Time. No. 31 Taking effect Dec 1st, 1906.

Bannockburn and Tamworth to Nananee and Deseronto									
Stations	Miles	No. 12	No. 40	No. 4	No. 6	Deseronto and Nananee to Tamworth and Bannockburn			
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	Stations	Miles	No. 1	No. 41
Lve Bannockburn	0			1:40		Lve Deseronto	0	7:00	
Allans	5			1:50		Lve Nananee	9	7:20	
Queensboro	14			2:05		Lve Strathcona	15	7:40	12:15
Bridgewater	24			2:25		Newburgh	17	8:15	12:25
Tweed	20			3:05		Thomson's Mills	18		4:55
Lve Tweed	20	6:00		3:15		Camden East	19	8:30	12:35
Larkins	27	7:15		3:30		Lve Yarker	25	8:45	12:50
Maribank	33	7:35		3:45		Lve Yarker	25	9:00	12:55
Erinsville	37	7:50		3:55		Galbraith	25		5:45
Tamworth	40	8:05		4:10		Moscow	27	9:30	1:07
Wilson	44			4:25		Mudlake Bridge	30		6:01
Enterprise	46	8:25		4:30		Enterprise	30	9:35	1:20
Mudlake Bridge	48			4:47		Wilson	36	10:00	1:40
Moscow	51	8:37		4:47		Tamworth	38	10:10	6:20
Galbraith	53			5:00		Erinsville	41	10:10	6:30
Lve Enterprise	55	8:45		5:00		Maribank	45	10:25	6:45
Lve Yarker	55	8:45		5:00		Larkins	45	10:45	7:05
Camden East	59			5:15		Stoo	55	11:00	7:20
Thomson's Mills	60			5:38		Lve Tweed	58	11:30	
Newburgh	61			5:45		Lve Tweed	58	11:30	
Strathcona	63			5:55		Bridgewater	64	11:50	
Napanee	69			6:15		Queensboro	70	12:05	
Lve Napanee	69			6:25		Allans	73	12:20	
Deseronto	74			6:55		Lve Bannockburn	78	12:40	

Kingston and Sydenham to Nananee and Deseronto									
Stations	Miles	No. 1	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Deseronto and Nananee to Sydenham and Kingston			
		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	Stations	Miles	No. 1	No. 4
Lve Kingston	0			4:10		Lve Deseronto	0	7:00	
G. T. R. Junction	9			4:20		Lve Nananee	9	7:20	
Glendale	14			4:39		Lve Strathcona	15	7:40	12:15
Maribank	19			4:55		Newburgh	17	8:15	12:25
Lve Harrowsmith	19	8:10				Thomson's Mills	18		4:55
Lve Harrowsmith	19	8:27				Camden East	19	8:30	12:35
Frontenac	22			5:20		Lve Yarker	25	8:45	12:50
Lve Yarker	22	8:45		5:20		Lve Yarker	25	9:00	12:55
Lve Yarker	22	9:10		5:25		Galbraith	25		5:45
Camden East	26	9:24		5:38		Moscow	27	9:30	1:07
Thomson's Mills	31			5:45		Mudlake Bridge	30		6:01
Newburgh	33	9:33		5:55		Enterprise	30	9:35	1:20
Strathcona	36	9:43		6:05		Wilson	36	10:00	1:40
Napanee	40	9:50		6:15		Tamworth	38	10:10	6:20
Lve Napanee	40			6:25		Erinsville	41	10:10	6:30
Deseronto	48			6:55		Maribank	45	10:25	6:45

LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE									
NANANEE TO DESERONTO AND PICTON.					PICTON TO DESERONTO AND NANANEE.				
STRAIMERS		STRAIMERS		STRAIMERS		STRAIMERS		STRAIMERS	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Nanabee	Deseronto	Deseronto	Picton	Deseronto	Picton	Deseronto	Nanabee	Deseronto	Nanabee
2 15 a.m.	2 35 a.m.	7 25 a.m.	7 45 a.m.	9 40 a.m.	10 10 a.m.	11 20 a.m.	11 40 a.m.	12 20 p.m.	12 40 p.m.
7 10 "	8 10 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.	9 50 a.m.	11 20 a.m.	12 20 p.m.	12 40 p.m.	1 40 a.m.	2 05 a.m.
10 50 "	10 50 "	1 40 p.m.	3 00 p.m.						
11 58 a.m.	12 10 p.m.								
1 25 p.m.	1 45 "	5 30 p.m.	7 00 p.m.						
4 30 "	4 50 "								
6 50 "	7 10 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.						
6 15 "	6 35 "								

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"Very well," he said soothingly. Then he opened the door, and from the kitchen there drifted in the smell of popping corn.
"Who is popping corn?" she asked.
"Your nurse," said the doctor.
Half an hour later he persuaded her to taste a spoonful of milk.
"Why, that's not so bad after all," she said. "What did you do to it?"
"Soaked that popped corn in it," said he. "Gives it an entirely different taste, doesn't it? Sweet milk's bitterest enemy is bound to say it is drinkable after it has soaked up the essence of popped corn for ten or fifteen minutes."—New York Sun.

that sounds a way between "cain" and "thlan," and there you've got it. The second syllable, "fair," is encouragingly simple. And if you want to go on and learn the whole name of the village the following rhyme may be of assistance:

At first it began fair,
Commencing with Llanfair.
Then I carried a jingle
By adding Pwllwngyll.
But was horrible, very.
To stick on Gogery
And simply ignoble
To run to Chwyndrobwl,
Till it almost will kill you
To say Llandysilio.
With a terrible shock
At the end Gogogoch.

The inhabitants of the village and the postoffice authorities have shortened the name to Llanfair, P. G., while the railroad limits it to Llanfair.—New York World.

THE GOLDEN CAT.

Legend of the Founding of a Persian College at Meshed.

The following story from the Persian manuscript of which a translation has been published under the title "The Glory of the Shia World," reads like a passage in the "Arabian Nights." It tells of a Persian at Meshed who had founded a college with wealth gained in a remarkable manner:

"One day a rich merchant asked him whether he was willing to work at a place to which he would be conducted blindfolded. Being a fearless Kermani and very poor, he agreed, and was led through many streets to a courtyard, where the bandage was removed, and he was ordered to dig a hole and bury gold coins and jewelry. This he did for several days, and, being searched before he left, he saw no chance of bettering his condition.

"However, one day he saw a cat, which he killed and ripped open. He then sewed up some money and jewels inside it and threw it over the wall. After this, when his work was done, he wandered about until he found the cat and not only secured the money hidden in its body, but also learned the position of the house.

"Its owner shortly afterward died, and the astute Kermani bought his house with the gold sewed up inside the cat. As the merchant had never revealed his secret to any one he became his heir and, in turn, when dying, bequeathed his money for the pious task of founding and maintaining a college."

"Robbing Peter to Pay Paul."

That proverb "robbing Peter to pay Paul" arose from the way in which the dean of Westminster was treated at the time of the reformation. As abbot he had been an independent dignitary, but as dean he was placed under the authority of a specially created bishop of Westminster. This discomfited after existing for ten years was merged in the see of London, and many of the domains of St. Peter's abbey passed into the hands of the chapter of St. Paul's cathedral, thus giving rise to the now familiar saying. "It was by a hard struggle," writes Dean Stanley, "that the abbey was saved in those tempestuous times. Its dependency of the priory of St. Martin's le Grand was torn to pieces, and its outlying domains to the east of Westminster were, it is said, sacrificed to the Protector Somerset to induce him to forbear from pulling down the abbey itself."—London Chronicle.

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placed on three couches and served with the richest viands for a space of eight days. But, as the event proved, all was of no avail; the dead still obstructed the open ways; the air was an offence in the nostrils. They might as well have appointed a cooks' holiday. At last some of the more ancient Romans revealed a pious custom then fallen into disuse; a mail was driven into Jupiter's temple during the ides of September.

The next year Rome was rent by an earthquake of great violence; a fissure opened in the midst of the city. The gods, it was thought, had given a hint; they were weary of baked meats and desired a living sacrifice. Accordingly the dauntless M. Curtius, whose name happily has been preserved to posterity, hurled himself in the chasm, imploring the perverse deities to restore prosperity to the Roman world. Writers recalled after the plague had spent its force that a flaming star had made its appearance, preceded by a terrific tidal wave which inundated two cities on the Gulf of Corinth.

Again, in 126 B.C., the pestilence fell upon Rome. A baleful planet has risen above the African land. At first, says Seneca, it appeared fiery and red, emitting a bright light so as to overcome the darkness of night. Gradually its magnitude lessened and its brightness paled. In the year 134 A.D. a volcano was in eruption, and nine years later the phenomenon was repeated. Multitudinous hordes of locusts, hounded by a south wind, drove up from Numidia and Utica, obscuring the sun. The havoc wrought was unprecedented. It is related that 800,000 died in Numidia and 200,000 more on the sea coast of Carthage. Fifteen hundred bodies were carried out of a single gate at Utica in one day. Thirty thousand Roman troops were numbered among the victims.

But this visitation was to be followed by one still more appalling in the sixth century of our era. Contemporary writers said that it had "depouled" Africa; it swept the whole Roman world. So swift and terrible was the action of the disease that men who rose well in the morning were stricken before noon; they fell at games, at table, while they were conversing. St. Gregory instituted a procession at Rome on account of the unparalleled calamity. No less than 80 Romans fell dead in the streets while it was passing.

For this plague, too, we find a reason in the planetary disturbances. In 588 A.D. Antioch was overthrown by an earthquake in which 60,000 perished; the Tiber left its bed and overflowed the streets of Rome; a comet made its appearance; the winter was rigorous; the drought which followed severe. The times were obviously out of joint.

The black death, which was pulmonary, like the present epidemic, is supposed to have originated in Asia in 1345. Genoese sailors, who landed at their home port early in 1348 from the eastern coast of the Black Sea, are supposed to have disseminated it, together with miraculous stories of its origin. They said its coming had been foretold in Cathay by the bursting of a huge globe of fire or meteor, others assuring them that the fire had burst through the shell of the globe from below. Seismic shocks of considerable violence and extent had alarmed all Europe. Germany suffered in 1346; in 1349 Sicily, together with Italy, was shaken to its foundation; many cities were wrecked in Greece, and thousands were swallowed up by the earth. The courses of rivers were obstructed, and over Avignon (then the home of the popes) a meteor hung suspended for an hour. The heavens were thick with vapors and shot with strange lights.

The great plague of London, which appeared in 1664, was similarly announced by uncanny natural phenomena. How the plague reached London, if, indeed, it did not originate there, remains a mystery.

Courts-martial in Britain are regulated by the Mutiny Act, first passed in 1690.

CROPS AND LIVE STOCK.

The Census and Statistics Office issues to-day a bulletin on crops and live stock.

The reports of correspondents show that out of a yield of 149,989,600 bushels of wheat harvested last year 141,096,000 bushels or 94 per cent were merchantable, and that at the end of March 33,042,000 bushels or 22 per cent of the whole were yet in farmers' hands. The quantity held by farmers in the Maritime Provinces at that date was 465,000 bushels, in Quebec 477,000 bushels, in Ontario 5,002,000 bushels, and in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta 27,095,000 bushels. At the same date last year the quantity in hand in all Canada was 30,484,000 bushels or 18.28 per cent of the total crop of 166,744,000 bushels, of which 159,868,000 bushels, or 95.87 per cent was of merchantable quality.

Oats, which last year gave a yield of 328,449,000 bushels, was merchantable to the extent of 301,773,000 bushels or 91.93 per cent, and the quantity in hand at the end of March was 127,587,000 bushels or 39.44 per cent. In the Maritime Provinces there was in hand at that date 6,985,000 bushels, in Quebec 17,447,000 bushels, in Ontario 50,742,000 bushels, and in the Northwest Provinces (exclusive of British Columbia) 52,413,000 bushels. In the preceding year the quantity in hand out of a harvest of 358,466,000 bushels was 141,490,000 bushels or 40.03 per cent; and there was a total of 321,190,000 bushels or 90.86 per cent of merchantable oats.

The barley yield of 1910 was 45,147,000 bushels, and of this quantity there was in hand at the end of March 13,135,000 bushels or 29 per cent. The merchantable yield was 41,505,000 bushels or 91.93 per cent. The barley crop of 1909 was 55,398,000 bushels and the quantity on hand at the end of March last year was 16,517,000 bushels or 29.81 per cent. The merchantable quantity of that crop was 51,499,000 bushels or 92.87 per cent. Ontario's crop last year was 20,727,000 bushels, and that of the three Northwest provinces 21,377,000 bushels.

The merchantable yield of corn last year was 83.63 per cent of the whole crop, of buckwheat 88.66 per cent, of potatoes 77.31, of turnips and other roots 86.81 per cent and of hay and clover 88.72 per cent, which are nearly the same as the percentages of the same crops in the previous year. The quantities of these crops on hand at the end of March were nearly the same in both years except that the supply of potatoes this year is 20,000,000 bushels less and the supply of hay and clover 2,494,000 tons more.

The per cent condition of live stock on the farms ranges close to the same figures for both years, but is a little higher for all classes this year. For the respective years, 1911 and 1910 horses are 95.37 to 93.98, milch cows 93.29 to 91.42, other cattle 90.87 to 89.30, sheep 93.77 to 92.43, and swine 94.36 to 92.77. These proportions are closely maintained throughout all the provinces; they denote the condition of live stock as regards a healthy and thrifty state.

Chastising the Arabs.

The vast extent of the British Empire in the east and the fact that much of it is inhabited by semi-civilized people or has contiguous to barbarian and more warlike with the natives of frequent occurrence. England is now engaged in a little conflict with the Arabs on the Persian Gulf. The sale of arms to these natives is forbidden, but the traffic is carried on nevertheless. A modern rifle and a fanatical Arab make a bad enemy.

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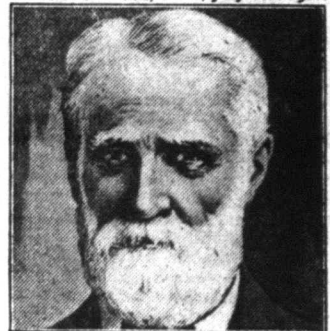
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WAGARVILLE.

A quiet wedding took place at Harrowsmith, when Miss Jennie Wagar, of this place, and Isaac Wagar, of British Columbia, were united in marriage. They left for the west on Monday.

Ashley Wagar gave an oyster supper and dance in S. Jackson's hall for the young people of this place.

Daniel McCumber has left for Oswego, N. Y.

Mrs. E. Vanvolkenburg and family intend leaving for Parry Sound soon.

F. McCumber at Ashley Wagar's; Miss G. Loucks at G. Raymond's; T. McCumber and Miss F. Walker, at E. McCumber's on Sunday; W. J. Wagar at G. Alton's.

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Do Not Live For Centuries.

Before the Christian era men had the idea that of plants were aston-

MURVALE.

The trappers all on their job, but report a small catch of rats so far.

Sunday school opened on Sunday after being closed for the winter. There was a good attendance.

Miss Ida McConnell, Odessa, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Bowen.

Frederick Wallace left last week for South Luma, N. Y., where he is engaged in the gardening business.

Lorne, Christie and Hattie Irwin, who were ill with scarlet fever are convalescent.

Allen Brown spent Sunday in Moscow.

Visitors: Robert Miller, Wilton, at B. Purdy's; N. Irish, Yarker, at D. J. Murton's.

STELLA.

William Allen, who is about to leave the island, was taken by surprise, on April 8th, when the directors of the Amherst Island Mutual Fire Insurance company called on him and presented him with a watch and chain. The appreciative address was read by A. W. Hitchins.

The ice in the bay is all broken up. A few more days and the steamer Aletha will be able to get through. The mail has been delayed for a few days, owing to the bad condition of crossing the bay.

Dr. G. H. Patterson is attending Mr. and Mrs. J. Sanders, also Mrs. J. Patterson.

Mrs. (Capt.) T. Sanders and Mrs. Bliss arrived, on Thursday, from Cleveland.

Mrs. H. Filson and S. K. Tugwell also arrived home from a visit in the west.

COLEBROOK.

Fletcher Hoffman has secured a position at Fort Francis, Ont., as teacher, and commenced duties on the first of April.

The ice is going out of the river rapidly.

Wellington Brown is making extensive repairs to the interior of his dwelling.

Thomas Furrs has been engaged to teach the school.

Miss Flossie Woodruff has secured a position as clerk in T. A. Keys' store.

Edgar Walker has bought Stanley Hart's house and lot, and has drilled a new well on the premises.

Ross McRae, Kingston, and Miss Edith Elliot, B. A., Montreal, spent the week end at A. C. Warner's.

T. A. Keys and G. A. Shangraw have both installed rural telephones in their places of business. T. A. Keys has also the Bell telephone in his place.

Miss Mary Warner is spending Easter week at home.

Mrs. Lucas has returned after an extended visit with friends at Centreville.

G. Armstrong, of Colborne, spent Easter at A. C. Warner's.

Derwood Garrison has returned from his trip to Alexandria Bay, N. Y.

Charles Garrison and wife, Morven, made a short call here on their way to Moscow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee spent Sunday last at Charles Jackson's, Sydenham.

John Davison, Saskatoon, Sask., is spending a week at R. Galbraith's.

Harry Cairns is convalescent after a severe illness of typhoid fever.

We had a fine rain on Good Friday which was greatly needed to settle the ground and start the grass.

Beatrice Cowdy and her lady friend from Belleville Business College, are at Mr. Cowdy's spending their Easter holidays.

H. Riddle has gone to Marlbank to

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MACDONALD.

A gloom was cast over the community when word was received of the death, on the 14th inst., of Mrs. Wm. Joyce, of Gretna. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, of this place. Besides her husband, she leaves three small children.

Excelsior cheese factory began running on the 10th.

Quite a number are still shipping their cream to Toronto.

Miss Lena Wheeler, Bardolph, spent a few days recently in Napanee, the guest of Mrs. Wm. Goodman.

ODESSA.

Several severe cases of mumps are reported here.

The Roman Catholic church is having a thorough cleaning and painting inside.

W. Wycott, proprietor of the Temperance house, had a sale of household effects, etc. He intends leaving here soon.

Bert Sproule, of Kingston Business College, is home.

Mrs. Orange Babcock, Westbrook, is visiting Mrs. T. S. McConnell.

Miss Edith Asselstine, Toronto, at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Asselstine.

Miss Genevieve Aylesworth, Toronto, at A. A. Aylesworth's.

W. Duxer of Peterboro, at A. M. Kenyon's.

Mrs. Woolard and daughter are spending Easter holidays at Kingston.

The Ladies' Aid held its social at Mrs. T. Clyde's this week, and it was well attended.

School is closed for the holidays. The teachers are spending their vacation at their homes.

Several from here left, on Friday, to attend the Free Methodist convention at Gananoque.

Miss Gladys Calder, teacher at Stockdale, is home for the holidays.

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barbarian lands render wars with the natives of frequent occurrence. Finland is now engaged in a little conflict with the Arabs on the Persian Gulf. The sale of arms to these fanatics is forbidden, but the traffic is carried on nevertheless. A modern rifle and a fanatical Arab make a bad combination; and recently when the Arabs had collected a good supply of modern guns they planned to attack a village named Sirik, near Jask, on the south coast of Persia, just across the Strait of Ormuz. England, desirous of averting trouble in that quarter, as well as to punish the Arabs for their contraband trade in guns, despatched a warship to the scene and landed a force of marines and Sepoys on the Arabian coast. The chief, who was to blame, fled over the sand hills into the interior, where he fortified himself in a stronghold in the mountains. More Sepoys and sailors were landed, together with machine guns, and were despatched against the mountain stronghold. The troops had a difficult task in dragging the guns over the hot wastes of sand, which form one of the chief scenic features of Arabia. While the land expedition was engaged in subduing the stronghold the warship moved up the Persian Gulf summoning the Arabs to surrender their arms.

This section of Arabia, like the bulk of the country, is sterile and arid and its shifting sands and abrupt sand dunes give an impression of utter desolation.

Her Husband.

"Is there any one present who wishes the prayers of the congregation for a relative or friend?" asks the minister.

"I do," says the angular lady who arises from the rear pew. "I want the congregation to pray for my husband."

"Why, Sister Abigail," replies the minister, "you have no husband as yet."

"Yes, but I want you all to pitch in and pray for one for me!"

Protecting the Drunks.

In Copenhagen, the Danish capital, provision is made for the safe conveyance of inebriated revellers. When a policeman finds an intoxicated man wandering at large, he places him in a cab and takes him to the nearest police station, where he is examined by a doctor and then sent home. The following morning the bill for the doctor and the cab is sent to the pubman who served the man with his last drink.

Evening Schools.

Evening schools owe their existence to the Rev. Thomas Charles, who about 1811 set up one at Bala, Wales, which proved to be quite successful. In 1839 or 1840 the English Bishop Hinds strongly recommended such schools for poor adults, who on account of enforced labor, had no chance to secure an education. The idea was taken in hand by the British privy council in 1861, and from that date evening schools began to be considered seriously. At the present time they are numerous throughout Great Britain, America and many other leading nations.—New York American.

Keep the Fire Burning.

It used to be the custom in some old English inns for the fire to be kept constantly burning day and night. One such inn mentioned in "Old Country Inns" was the Plow, at Upper Dicker, in Sussex, and at the Chequers inn, near Osmotherly, in Yorkshire, the hearth fire has been burning uninterruptedly for at least 130 years. The tradition points to a time when the public house was necessarily resorted to for purposes of all kinds.

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Do Not Live For Centuries.

Before the Christian era men had the idea that elephants were astonishingly long-lived animals. It is probably true that the elephant often reaches a green old age, but not quite so green as was supposed by writers of ancient times. Some of the latter stated that elephants could live to be 500 years old. Strabo cites the case of one which reached the respectable age of 300 years, which was set down by Pliny also as the maximum age which proboscideans could attain.

But another writer, Philostrates, went Strabo and Pliny one better. He asserted that an elephant belonging to King Ptolemy not only lived long enough to become a great favorite with that monarch, but actually survived its royal master for four solid centuries!

Aristotle declared 200 years to be the highest age which an elephant could reach. He gave their ordinary span of life as between 120 and 200 years. Buffon also placed the maximum at 200; Flourens made it 150 and De Blainville 120. It is pretty generally believed among those who have made a study of the question that elephants frequently live to be 100 years old.

At the Paris Zoological Gardens there was an elephant called Chevette, presented, full-grown, by Mehmet Ali in 1825, which lived in captivity till 1885.

The rhinoceros, too, has been known to live many years. One Indian single-horned rhino died in the Paris Zoological Gardens after living there 25 years; nor did he, at the time of his demise, show any signs of weakness or senility. Another rhinoceros lived happily at the London Zoo for 37 years. It is said that such animals can live to 70 or 80 years.

The Coconut Crab.

The tree-climbing crabs of the Molucca Islands are among the most interesting of animals. These crabs, whose bodies, together with their heavy fore limbs, are often a foot in length, climb coconut trees, particularly at night, in order to reach the nuts, of whose milk they are very fond. They tear open the covering of the nut at its apex and suck out the contents. Their worst enemies are rats, which sometimes drive them from their burrows in the daytime. Then they glide among the bushes and through the grass, agitating their pinners and making a strange rattling sound.

The Only Application.

A pale looking young chap, wearing eyeglasses and unshorn hair, visited an athletic instructor not long ago and asked questions until the diplomatic athlete finally became weary. "If I take boxing and wrestling lessons from you will it require any particular application?" he asked. "No," answered the instructor, "but a little arnica will come in handy."

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We had a fine rain on Good Friday which was greatly needed to settle the ground and start the grass.

Beatrice Cowdy and her lady friend from Belleville Business College, are at Mr. Cowdy's spending their Easter holidays.

H. Riddle has gone to Marlbank to visit his brother, Alexander.

Mrs. R. Switzer's sale was well attended by the Colebrook people. Everything brought an extra good price.

D. Gowdy has bought Stanley Hart's half interest in a well drilling machine. He and Andy Galbraith are partners in the business.

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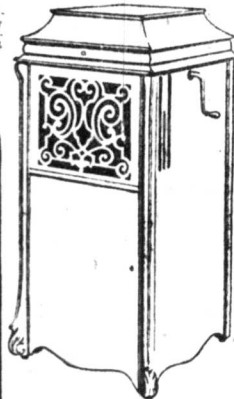
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LONDON'S BRILLIANT SEASON

THE CORONATION AND SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

Festivities to Mark the Year— Series of Functions Has Already Been Arranged.

London will soon be in the midst of the season of 1911, a Coronation season which promises to be the most brilliant ever known. So many people in so many different directions, have determined that it shall be brilliant, that its success is already assured, says the London Express.

This Coronation season will set the fashion, as regards social entertainments, for many years to come.

It is felt in high quarters that the time has arrived to throw overboard the early Victorian idea that to be respectable one must be dull, and thus effectively silence the mouths of those who have been busy predicting that social life in the new reign would be stagnant.

Hostesses who have not entertained on a large scale for many years will throw open their doors, and endeavor by the brilliance of their reputations to eclipse all previous efforts.

A new host will be the Duchess of Devonshire, Mistress of the Robes, who will lead the way with a series of magnificent functions including a royal ball at Devonshire House.

A ROYAL BALL.

The Duchess of Sutherland will give a royal ball at Stafford House in honor of the debut of her daughter, Lady Rosemary Leveson-Gower, and, in addition to several formal entertainments, will also resume her more intimate Friday evening parties, at which many prominent intellectual and artistic celebrities are always to be met.

Three American Duchesses—the Duchess of Marlborough at Sunderland House, the Duchess of Roxburghe—a new hostess at Chesterfield and the Duchess of Manchester, in Grosvenor-square—will entertain on a large scale. The Duchess of Manchester makes her first appearance as a hostess. Another American peeress, the Countess of Granard, will, as the wife of the Master of the Horse, give a series of official and private entertainments at Forbes House.

SOME NOBLE HOSTESSES.

The Duchess of Portland will give a royal ball in Grosvenor square. The Duchess of Wellington will give another at Ainslie House. The Duchess of Norfolk will entertain largely at Norfolk House; and at Grosvenor House, which has been closed for two years, the Duchess of Westminster will give one ball, or possibly two.

The Marchioness of Landsdowne, whose coronation reception in 1902, just before King Edward's illness, was the most splendid of the whole season, attended by the Indian Princes in their gorgeous robes and by nearly every royal personage in London, will receive at Landsdowne House.

The Countess of Londesborough will give some striking and unusual entertainments at St. Dunstan's Lodge, where there is a fine ballroom, and where the charming grounds lend themselves particu-

CAPTAIN'S RESPONSIBILITIES

When Skippers Lose Their Ships They Lose Their Livelihood.

Some years ago, through no fault of her captain, a fine ship was piled up on the rocky coast of South America. It was an almost new passenger and cargo vessel with many people on board, yet, thanks to the skill of the skipper, all were safely landed and not a single life was lost. All attempts to save the ship were in vain and she became a total loss.

Of course, the usual British Board of Trade inquiry was held, and although the captain was complimented on his resource and bravery, and was practically absolved from all blame, his certificate was suspended for a short time and he became a broken man. He was looked upon as perhaps the finest officer in his fleet, but the inexorable rule was that all captains who lost their vessel could not be employed again.

With this black mark against him, he found it almost impossible to get another good berth in England, and he went out to South America, where he eventually obtained a post as harbor-master. Such is the unhappy lot of many a capable officer.

The passenger may often chafe and call the skipper an old woman for preferring to remain in harbor a few hours longer because a storm is raging outside, but no one can blame him for refusing to take the least risk that may deprive him of his livelihood.

When any disaster happens the captain is always to blame, although his owners may have ordered him to press on regardless of fog and bad weather. In these days of competition a delay of only a few hours may mean the forfeit of a penalty, so the captain and the owners must take risks. And when the risk ends in disaster it is the captain who pays the penalty.

A good officer with powerful friends may be able to find a snug billet ashore as harbor-master or in some other marine post, but such good fortune only comes to the few. The many must be content with the command of a small coasting vessel, or be ready to take out an ancient ship whose owners would not mind losing it on a dangerous voyage.

Is it any wonder then that many a skipper prefers to go down with his vessel to facing a searching inquiry which may try to fasten all kinds of misconduct upon him. All who have been much at sea can tell tales of captains who have deliberately refused to be rescued in consequence of disaster brought about by some error or default on their part. It may be remembered that the captain of a German liner that ran ashore a few years ago deliberately shot himself.

There was another famous case when the stranding of a liner led to the loss of many lives, among which was that of the captain. The people of the coast will tell you to this day that he was really among the saved, but preferred to disappear. Although this belief is only one of those curious ideas that possess people occasionally, cases of the kind have no doubt occurred from time to time.—Pearson's Weekly.

PLAGUE KILLED THEM ALL.

A Chinese Town is Now Silent in Death.

The St. Petersburg correspond-

LAND OWNED BY THE CROWN

INCREASE IN VALUE DURING THE PAST THIRTY YEARS.

There are in all 4,250 Houses Owned by the Crown in London.

Some time ago an American paper, under the headline, "King Under Cost Price," twitted us with taking the whole of the enormous Crown Revenues for the National Exchequer and allowing our monarch a fixed income or Civil List, which was not equal in value to that received from Crown Property, says Pearson's Weekly.

Our critic was unfair or ignorant. When Queen Victoria surrendered the hereditary revenues of the Crown for life, their annual value was not nearly equal to the \$1,925,000 which Parliament granted to the Sovereign lady as her fixed Civil List. It is only owing to the immense increase of landed property in London during the past thirty years that the Crown revenues have reached the \$2,850,000 at which they stand to-day.

It has become the custom for each succeeding monarch to hand over her or his life interest in the Crown Lands in exchange for a fixed revenue. If the country has to-day slightly the better of the bargain it should be remembered that for years the boot was on the other foot. To-day the only Crown Lands from which the Royal Family draw direct incomes are those of the two Duchies of Cornwall and Lancaster, which produce between them

ABOUT \$800,000 A YEAR

But the rest of the Crown Lands are still Crown property, and presumably any Sovereign could resume them and hold them as formerly.

The variety of Crown property is simply enormous. It includes Scottish salmon fisheries and London theatres. King George is a keen salmon fisher, and if he were to take over the Crown salmon waters he would have the finest angling in the country at his disposal. Not only tidal waters and estuaries, but an immense proportion of inland Scottish fisheries are held from the Crown. This was established by a decision of the House of Lords in 1859, and since that date the rental of the Scottish Crown Fisheries has risen from \$25 to \$30,000 a year.

More than half of the revenue from what are called Crown Lands and which are managed by the Commissioners of Woods and Forests, arises from the Crown Estates in London. Few people have the least idea of the amount of London which is owned by the Crown. There are in all 4,250 houses, which bring in a combined rental of over \$1,500,000 a year. Some of these houses stand as far east as Tower Hill, some as far west as Notting Hill. There is Crown property in Southwark and in Holborn Viaduct.

THE CARLTON HOTEL.

and His Majesty's Theatre stand on Crown Land, and bring in a ground rent of over \$20,000. The lease has, we believe, some sixty years to run. Another famous restaurant, the Holborn, is built on Crown Land. The ground rent is over \$10,000 a year.

Nearly the whole of the south side

NO SALE FOR OLD WATCHES.

Gold in the Case the Only Part of Value to the Jeweller.

"There is no market for second hand watches," remarked a jeweller. "Now that may strike you as funny, considering what a good watch costs when new, but it is a fact that when you get through with a gold watch or decide to get a new one the only thing of value in your old watch is the gold that is in the case."

"Almost every day we have people coming in here to ask us what we will allow for their old watch should they decide to buy a new one. They seem surprised when we tell them that we would credit them with the gold in the case, but that the watch outside of that is valueless to us."

"With pianos, typewriters or automobiles it's different, you see. Their parts can be used over again or they can be rebuilt and sold over again, but it isn't so with a watch."

"One reason for this is that styles in watches are constantly changing. Not many years ago there was a radical change when the present flat watch came into vogue. Watches that were bought fifteen years ago now look very old-fashioned indeed. They may have fine movements but they cannot be made over to fit the new cases."

"Unlike the case of some other things, there was absolutely no demand for second hand watches. A man who wants a watch would rather buy a new one of the latest design than buy an old watch with an expensive movement in it. At least we find that to be our experience."

"Occasionally a man with an old watch to get rid of may strike a jeweller who thinks he sees a chance of fixing it over and selling it as new and will allow him therefore a little more for the watch than the value of the gold. Generally the jeweller will try to get rid of such a watch in the country districts."

"Not long ago a man brought a watch in here which he had bought in a small town up country as a brand new watch. It hadn't given satisfaction and we saw instantly that it was an old watch fixed up a little. These cases are very rare, however."

"If you have an old watch on your hands the best thing to do is to make some bargain with a friend who can't afford a new one. If you go to a jeweller you will find that what you thought was one of your assets isn't worth much. We have two bushels of such watches here now. They have been left simply for the gold that's in them."

"Some of them cost a lot of money when new. Often somebody comes in with a watch that was left to him by his father. He has an idea that of course it must be very valuable because his father paid so much for it, only it's pretty big and cumbersome and he just doesn't want to wear it. When we tell him he can leave it for old gold he is apt to get quite excited, whereas it is merely as an accommodation to him that we make even that offer."

"As a rule most folks decide to keep their old watches either as heirlooms or in the hope that they can dispose of them at a private sale."

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by nearly every royal personage in London, will receive at Lansdowne House.

The Countess of Londesborough will give some striking and unusual entertainments at St. Dunstan's Lodge, where there is a fine ball-room, and where the charming grounds lend themselves particularly well to fanciful illumination.

CHELSEA HOUSE TO OPEN.

Chelsea House will be thrown open—the first time for many years—and Earl Cadogan will entertain largely in honor of the new Countess Cadogan and of his granddaughter, the Hon. Sybil Cadogan, who is just eighteen.

It is also possible that the Earl of Rosebery will give a ball; he has not done anything of the kind for some years, when he wound up the summer season with a large ball, at which the present King and Queen were the guests of honor.

There will of course be splendid functions at the Embassies, in which Mr. Whitelaw Reid and Count Wolf-Metternich will take a prominent part.

The opera season will open at Covent Garden on April 22, and the Coronation gala performance will take place about a week after the Coronation. A notable feature of the season will be the engagement of the Imperial Russian Ballet from St. Petersburg. The demand for boxes and stalls is unprecedented, and the King has already subscribed for the royal box, which has been for so many months unoccupied, and a depressing feature of the house.

The Festival of Empire at the Crystal Palace, and the Coronation Exhibition at Shepherd's Bush will be augmented in May.

FOUR COURTS.

Between May 7 and June 22 four Courts will be held at Buckingham Palace. The number of applications for attendance and presentation at these courts has already far exceeded the limit imposed.

The Royal Naval and Military Tournament starts at Olympia on May 18.

Four days later the Imperial Conference opens. The Temple Flower Show is fixed for the 23rd and May 26 is Queen Mary's birthday. The Derby will be run on May 31. June 3 is the King's birthday. The week immediately before the Coronation is taken up by Royal Ascot June 13 to 16. The International Horse Show at Olympia, of which the King is patron, will last from June 14 to June 24.

The greatest activity of the season will be crowded into the twelve days from June 19 to June 30, the Coronation taking place on June 22.

SPORTING EVENTS.

Important polo fixtures include the International Regimental Tournament at Hurlingham, July 3 to July 8. The King is the patron of the Ranelagh Club, and will probably witness one or other of the important matches there during the season. An interesting fixture is the House of Lords v. Commons on July 1. It is probable that some special polo fixtures will be arranged for the benefit of the Indian Princes who are coming over for the Coronation.

No one should be judge in his own cause.

Let a fool hold his tongue and he will pass for a sage.

kind have no doubt occurred from time to time.—Pearson's Weekly.

PLAGUE KILLED THEM ALL.

A Chinese Town is Now Silent in Death.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Petit Parisian forwards the story of an eye-witness, who has returned from Adekhe, a Chinese town on the River Amur, in which the plague has left not a soul alive. He says: "The town, the squares, the streets, the houses, all are empty. Death has passed and left only one living creature, a Chinaman, in rags, who went mad and died as we entered the city."

"The doctor marched at our head. We followed, dressed and masked, to protect ourselves from contagion. We walked through empty streets. There was nobody there, for there was nothing alive. A few weeks ago the town was a busy one. We found dead silence there, the only sounds being the creaking of the open doors as the wind moved them."

"We saw a number of Chinamen lying face downwards, their backs arched as if in one last superhuman effort to meet death upright."

"The Chinamen with us fixed their hooks in the clothes of the dead and dragged them away to be burnt, muttering as they went. 'Koon to, koon to!' (the red death!)"

"There were corpses and nothing but corpses in all the houses, rich and poor alike, in all the sanctuaries and in the streets. The town was dead."

"Suddenly, out of a wide street, rushed a wild figure in rags. His pig-tail was untravelling, his feet were naked and quite blue, either from cold or the disease. He rushed at the doctor, leaped on him, and fell in the death agony, shrieking as he fell. 'Koon to! Koon to!'"

"Our men tied his hands and feet, for he was dangerous, and carried him away. We heard him shrieking the sinister cry: 'The red death! The red death!' Then all was silent. They burned him with the others."

ODD FACTS ABOUT DUST.

Four Thousand Million Particles of it in a Puff of Smoke.

Dust would not be possible were it not for the fact that matter is almost infinitely divisible. It has been estimated that an average puff of smoke from a cigarette contains about four thousand millions of particles of dust.

A single grain of indigo will give color to a ton of water; of course, says Popular Mechanics, a drop of this water must contain an immense number of ultra-microscopic particles of indigo.

A few grains of fluorescein, a substance derived from coal tar, will produce a distinct fluorescence, shining with a yellowish green light when strongly illuminated, in a hundred tons of water. To produce this result the fluorescein must be divided into countless billions of particles.

Every conceivable substance enters into the composition of dust. In street dust may be found bits of iron and steel from the tires of wagons, horseshoes and the nails of our own shoes, bits of leather from harness, fragments of wood, cotton, silk, stone, gold, silver, clothing, wool, hair, animal excreta, various ores, tin, paper, clay, sand, moulds, bacteria—in fact, everything under the sun.

and His Majesty's Theatre stand on Crown Land, and bring in a ground rent of over \$20,000. The lease has, we believe, some sixty years to run. Another famous restaurant, the Holborn, is built on Crown Land. The ground rent is over \$10,000 a year.

Nearly the whole of the south side of Pall Mall, from Cockspur Street to Marlborough House, belongs to the Crown. Great and Little Scotland Yard, the Albany and Vine Street Police Stations are all on Crown property.

There is a huge block of business buildings in the city which brings in a rental of \$35,000, while at the other end of the scale are scraps of garden land, for which only \$5 or \$10 a year is paid. In some cases a part of a house pays rent. For instance, although the Langham Hotel stands upon freehold ground one of its bow windows intrudes upon Crown property, and, therefore, pays rent.

Something over \$150,000 a year arises from royalties on minerals dug from Crown Lands, but while large sums are acquired from valuable property of this kind,

TRIFLES ARE NOT DESPISED.

One seaside town leases from the Crown eighty-four acres of foreshore at a yearly rental of forty shillings, while for two chimney stacks in a certain village the payment is one penny a year. How the Crown comes to own such curious property as chimney stacks is not easily explainable.

One of the largest areas of Crown Land is the beautiful New Forest. At the same time it is a very valuable one, for the rents derived from it are only a few hundreds a year. If it were put up for sale it would realize a gigantic sum.

Crown property is always increasing in value, not only because of the natural rise in the value of building land, but also because there fall into it the estates of people who die without leaving relatives or a will. In such cases, the Crown advertises for claimants, but if these do not appear within a month the property is added to the Crown Lands. All Crown property is marked by the Royal boundary signs. One of these is to be seen on the stage of the Lyceum Theatre.

SLAVERY IN SCOTTISH MINES.

As Late as 1775 Men Were Bought and Sold With Land.

The threatened strike and stoppage of all the coal mines in Scotland reminds one that slavery lingered in the Scottish mines until the very eve of the nineteenth century. Mr. Hackwood, in "The Good Old Times," draws a picture of the Scottish miner's unhappy lot in the past: "From about the year 1445 until 1775 the miners of Scotland were bought and sold with the soil. It is stated in old chronicles that bloodhounds were kept to trace them if they left their employment, and to aid in bringing them back. By statute law miners were bound to work all days in the year except Paschal and Yule, and if they did not work they were to be whipped in the bodies for the glory of God and for the good of their masters'. Not until 1775 was the first law passed in an attempt to better this state of things, but it was 1799 ere the law gave the working miner of Scotland his complete freedom."—London Chronicle.

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BIG RADIUM DEAL.

Whole Output of Trenwith in Cornwall, England.

One of the biggest deals on record in radium has just been carried out between the British Radium Corporation and a number of leading German scientists. The arrangement provides for practically the whole output of the Trenwith Mines in Cornwall, the total cost being put at \$500,000 annually. Germans will thus establish practically a corner in British radium, and the success of several huge schemes of putting radium within popular reach the world over depended upon an assured unlimited supply. Among the plans proposed by the German scientists is one providing for the introduction of radium into various medicines and compounds, which are guaranteed to cure maladies like rheumatism, gout, sciatica, diabetes, heart weakness, etc. Then a "radium exhaler" is also promised.

This is a machine which, if placed in the centre of any room, gives forth emanations which have the same effect on the clothed occupants of the room as if they had taken a journey to the radium baths at Johannsthal or Badgastein. The mud which is the refuse of pitchblende after radium has been extracted, is also to be treated and sold for "radio-mudbaths." Radium salts, another invention, have universal use. For example, a piece the size of a pin's head, placed on electric light switches, keyholes, etc., will in darkness, indicate their location; while the same principle is also to be applied to ship's compasses, thus dispensing with artificial light. When the scientists' plans have matured, an extensive campaign is to be prosecuted in the United States for the wider use of radium compounds. The result of new processes will be the more rapid consumption of radium, which will eventually be as easily obtainable as pills.

GREAT POWER FROM THE SUN

Enough Energy for World's Work Now Going to Waste.

Professor Sir J. J. Thompson delivered the first of a series of addresses on "Radiant Energy and Matter," at the Royal Institution, London, a few days ago.

"The amount of energy sent to us from the sun," he said, "is larger than many people realize. It has been shown by measurements that when the sun is shining in a clear sky it transmits to the earth power which corresponds to 7,000 horse power per acre. At present this power is practically wasted, and generally warms those places where an addition to the temperature could be well dispensed with. If we knew how to harness this power we could, by lowering the temperature of the earth a degree or so, obtain all the power necessary to run the works of the world."

"There is no doubt that in the energy of the sun lies a great resource to fall back upon when other powers are all used up."

100 YEARS OF SAVING BANKS

DANIEL DEFOE FIRST SUGGESTED THE IDEA.

Nearly \$200,000,000 Deposited in the British Post Office Savings Bank.

When you proudly open your first savings bank account at the nearest bank you do not think of "Robinson Crusoe," yet Daniel Defoe, who wrote that famous romance, was the first to suggest the establishment of such institutions.

But his excellent idea fell on deaf ears, and people continued to keep their little savings in their stockings until long after he was dead. In fact, it was in Brunswick, Germany, that the first savings bank was started, in 1765, and a few years later another, solely for the use of servants, was opened in Switzerland.

The fame of these places spread abroad, and other banks were started in various parts of the Continent, but England lagged behind until a bright lady of Tottenham, Mrs. Priscilla Wakefield by name, opened a bank for children at the end of the eighteenth century.

This was a success from the beginning, and four years later she increased its scope by receiving the savings of anyone who liked to use her bank. At first she was assisted by six gentlemen who acted as trustees, but as business increased, so did the number of trustees. Interest at the rate of 5 per cent. was allowed on sums of one pound and over, provided the money was not withdrawn under twelve months.

FOR USE OF PARISHIONERS.

About the same time the Rev. Joseph Smith, of Wendover, Buckinghamshire, started a "Frugality" Bank, so called after the suggestion of the well-known political writer, Jeremy Bentham, who had been advocating the foundation of savings banks under that title. This Wendover bank was for the use of the parishioners, and the Rev. Mr. Smith and his assistants undertook to return all money received during the summer, with a bonus of one-third of this sum, at Christmas.

Such favorable conditions were conducive to thrift, and every Sunday evening, which was the time appointed for the receiving of money, the careful inhabitants of the place took their scanty savings to the bank.

After all, however, the Rev. H. Duncan, of Ruthwell, Dumfriesshire, is generally recognized as the father of savings banks, as they are at present understood and managed.

The little whitewashed cottage in which the Ruthwell Bank started may still be seen by the curious who visit that place, but the institution has long outgrown its original, humble home.

As is usually the case with new institutions, the Ruthwell Savings Bank did not succeed without a struggle. The parish was a very poor one, and people were suspicious. They feared that the good parson had some designs on their money, and they were slow to avail themselves of the opportunity of saving.

But Mr. Duncan was not easily

WHITE MARKS ON HORSE.

Most Common Among Chestnuts and on the Hind Legs.

Among horses, irrespective of the question of breed, white is much more commonly seen on the hind legs, or on one of them, than on the fore legs. And when the latter are white it is practically always true that you can find white on the hind legs too. According to the Horse World, when markings are present both behind and in front those on the hind limbs are usually more extensive.

It is also found that there is a very definite connection between the coat color of horses and the frequency with which white markings occur. Thus the latter are by far the most commonly associated with the chestnut color. And not only are they the most prevalent in chestnut horses, but it is also, of course, a well known fact that the markings are apt to be more extended in nature in the case of this color than in that of any other.

Chestnut, therefore, apparently possesses, so to speak, a special affinity for these markings. Bay ranks next as regards the degree of frequency with which white markings appear in horses of this color, although it comes a good way behind chestnut in this respect. Then follows brown, while they are met with less frequently among black and roan colored horses.

The theory is sometimes put forward that in mating sire and dam when both have conspicuous white markings on their legs the tendency is for these to assume a more extensive character in the progeny than is the case in either parents. This theory cannot, however, be substantiated.

These markings are of a highly hereditary nature, and must prove to be transmitted to the offspring, probably even more so in the case of the sire than in that of the dam. Conclusive scientific support of this latter theory is not available, but it is a commonly observed phenomenon. On the other hand, there are some cases in which stallions with white markings habitually sire whole colored foals.

A DEBTLESS KING.

King George One of Few Monarchs With That Record.

George V. is one of the very few monarchs who have ever ascended a throne without a penny of debt, says Harper's Weekly. He will have, therefore, no need, and he certainly has no inclination, to surround himself with the German-Jewish capitalist set with whom King Edward rather too openly mingled. The old English aristocracy will come into its own again at the new King's court, and the atmosphere of the Royal household will be everything that is humdrum. But while George V. is British through and through, he is not by any means as negative a personality as many people think. The English papers write of him as though he were a dummy. He is, as a matter of fact, an outspoken, energetic, rather obstinate man, with strong views of his own on public questions; not at all afraid of responsibility, a close student of politics and delightfully indiscreet in airing his opinion about men and affairs—the very opposite, in short, of the type of sovereign who is content to be a mere figurehead. England does not yet know him, but it will before very long.

JAPANESE INN ETIQUETTE

TRAVELLER'S EXPERIENCE WITH THE LANGUAGE

Customs of Eating and Sleeping Proved Decidedly Awkward.

Nikko really denotes a whole mountain district rather than a single place, but foreigners usually mean the village of Hachiishi and its neighborhood, which is 2,000 feet above the sea and holds in its grasp all that is loveliest and noblest of the soul of old Japan, writes a traveller.

The village is a long one and lined with interesting shops where carved wood and furs predominate. On reaching the end of the village we turned to the left up hill to the Kanaya Hotel. There were no rooms to be had and none at the Nikko, the only other European hotel, so we passed on to the Knoshi Inn, the best Japanese hotel.

We were landed at the little front platform and promptly asked for a room. Evidently the word was new to them, for they only stared blankly. In desperation I sat down on the platform, pulled out my Murray, hunted up the sentence: "Have you got any rooms?" and pointed to the Japanese translation of it.

DOLEFUL HEADSHAKES.

none of them could read our lettering. I tried to pronounce it: "Zashiki wa, arimasu ka?" giving every pronunciation my tongue could shape.

Either they didn't understand or had no rooms, for they only shook their heads. I insisted, "Zashiki must have," and to make good my determination I got up and started into the hall. Such shrieks of despair! A booted foot on the lovely matting! But we finally pulled off our shoes and followed our host in, crying in our hearts: "Veni, vidi, vici!"

We were led up the most immaculate polished stairs, that shone like mirrors, and ushered into our "zashiki" at last. Two sides of the room were composed of sliding screens of opaque paper and a kakamona hung as sole ornament on the third. The fourth side was all sliding window, with a sill half a foot from the floor, and looking down into the most fairylike little garden imaginable, where little waterfalls played over baby rocks and wee gold fishes frisked in limpid pools among the weird and

FASCINATING DWARF TREES

The only piece of furniture in the room was a table half a foot high, on which a "hibachi" stood, and the floor was covered with soft mats. After resting awhile we clapped our hands and when the slides were drawn back a little maid came in on her hands and knees and putting her hands together on the floor touched her forehead to them in salute and I promptly expended on her some of the Japanese ammunition I had acquired: "O naka ga sukimashita (Honorable inside has become empty)."

But we tried gesticulations in vain and it began to look as if our honorable insides would remain empty when my better seven-

MODERN HYGIENE ATTACKED

ITS CHERISHED NOTIONS WRONG, SAYS AUTHORITY.

Washing, Fresh Air and Exercise Affected by Sir Almroth Wright's Theories.

The English people, whose pet vanity it is still to think that they are the only really clean nation in the world, have read with pain Sir Almroth Wright's lecture on "Bacteriology and Health." Sir Almroth attacked the most cherished popular notions of hygiene. Washing, fresh air, physical exercise, all these and many another cherished principle he scoffed at.

Sir Almroth Wright is not a nobody. Other members of the medical profession speak of him as "undoubtedly one of the cleverest men living." The lives of countless thousands of children are said to have been saved by his advocacy of increasing the congelability of the blood, and the master achievement of his life was his discovery of the Opsonic index and vaccines. And such a man as this sneers at the modern craze for cleanliness.

According to Sir Almroth, the washing idea is very much overdone.

"People say you must have hard exercise, a certain amount of washing and a certain amount of fresh air," said Sir Almroth, "but I am persuaded that these rules are quite wrong."

Talking of washing, he said: "There is a belief that by washing people wash off the microbes. We do take off a certain amount of microbes, but we also destroy

THE PROTECTIVE SKIN,

which is all round our bodies like the tiles of a house. When one has a horny hand no microbe can ever get near the skin. A great deal of washing increases the microbes of the skin, so I do not think cleanliness is to be recommended as a hygienic method."

Fresh air fared no better. "The religion of fresh air," he declared, "has all sorts of dangerous sides to it. The fresh air treatment for consumption I hold to be a dreadful superstition."

"At the London Hospital not long ago certain men were put in a glass cage. Finally the air became very hot, and the men became very sleepy. Then the doctor, by a turbine arrangement, without letting in a drop of fresh air, stirred the vitiated air up, and the men became lively again."

"The whole of the doctrine of fresh air requires revision. It is awkward to be in a crowded room because it gets hot, but that upon these effects a whole theory should be built up and large amounts spent on fresh air as deplorable."

After disposing in this ruthless fashion of both cleanliness and fresh air, Sir Almroth attacked the doctrine of prevention being

BETTER THAN CURE.

"I have noticed," he said, "on the circulars of the Health Society the phrase 'Prevention is better than cure.' I would like to stamp that out. We should wait until we

bank did not succeed in their struggle. The parish was a very poor one, and people were suspicious. They feared that the good parson had some designs on their money, and they were slow to avail themselves of the opportunity of saving.

But Mr. Duncan was not easily daunted, and he persevered, until at length he overcame prejudice sufficiently to persuade the people to place their money in a strong box secured by three locks, the three keys being held by three different gentlemen. One man might be dishonest, the people thought, but surely three would not conspire to rob us of our hard earned savings, so they began to withdraw their money from its hiding places and put it in the bank.

HOW THEY HAVE GROWN.

At the end of the first year deposits to the amount of \$755 were received, the second year saw a slight increase, while afterwards people flocked to the bank, and at the end of the fourth year there was getting on for a thousand pounds in hand. Mr. Duncan's fame spread from one end of the country to the other, hundreds of people from England writing to ask him how he managed his institution, so he was finally obliged to write a pamphlet explaining his methods.

And from this time onwards savings banks gradually grew in number, until now there are considerably over 200 in the kingdom, the savings of the depositors amounting to nearly \$260,000,000. The Post Office Savings Bank was not started until 1861, but being a Government concern it is now easily the largest of all.

And that is why you should think of "Robinson Crusoe" and Daniel Defoe when you put your money in the bank, as he was the first to suggest such a useful institution. Otherwise we might still be hiding our shillings and pence in old stockings or holes in the wall.—Pearson's Weekly.

LETTERS BY AEROPLANE.

First Aerial Postal Service in the World in India.

The mails which have reached England from India last week brought with them a postmark which should prove of special interest to collectors in years to come, as possessors of this postmark will have an official souvenir of what is claimed to be the first aerial post in the world. The postmark, which is stamped boldly in red, is encircled by the inscription: "First Aerial Post. U. P. Exhibition, Allahabad," and there is also a design of an aeroplane crossing the mountains, with the year 1911 denoted. The history of this new departure is interesting. Captain Windham wanted to demonstrate, by means of practical experiment, how the aeroplane could be used by a besieged town to communicate with the outside world. He accordingly obtained the sanction of the Postmaster-General of the United Provinces and the Director-General of Post Offices in India to inaugurate an aerial post at the United Provinces Exhibition at Allahabad, and a die was specially cut, with which each letter sent by the aerial post is marked. Letters posted in Calcutta on Feb. 16, travelling by way of the Allahabad aerial post and Bambov, have just been received in London.

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RE-INTERMENT IN CRETE.

Where People Wash the Bones of Their Ancestors.

For the last 3,000 or 4,000 years the practice of re-interment has obtained in Crete, says Professor C. H. Hawes in the Wide World Magazine. After two to five years the bones of the deceased are collected and reinterred.

In the course of my travels in 1909 I came to a village on the north side of Lake Copais, in Northern Greece. Here in the church was a gruesome sight—a basket filled with bones, from which a skul and a thigh peeped out; others were tied in a great handkerchief, and, to show the care that had been taken, there was on the top a small paper parcel containing bones of the fingers and toes. The custom here was to bury for five years in light wooden coffins, and then dig them up and place them in the church, until sufficient had accumulated for the priest to read the necessary service, when they were consigned en masse to a common grave. Thus land was economized, and the limited churchyard did duty for centuries.

The explanation of the curious color of the ancient bones is to be sought in a practice observed in this village, but unknown in Crete. In fact, when I mentioned it there the people were horrified. A friend of mine was passing through the village when he saw some women down at the stream washing and scraping bones of their deceased relatives preparatory to depositing them in the church.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

More than half the cares of life are of anticipation.

We can persuade ourselves of something quicker than we can persuade anybody else.

We were not meant to be always happy; and the best things do not endure.

People are apt to despise what they are unable to appreciate.

One of the great mistakes of the past has been to suppose that any woman with a little good-will on her part and a deal of good nature on her part of her partner can set up a satisfactory home.

Some people are often expressing wishes for the times which were gone, but it is far better to make use of the present.

Breadth of mind is often but another name for slackness of morals.

A woman who loses her pride in her children has lost her pride in herself.

It is human nature to be selfish; unselfishness is the product of teaching.

ESKIMOS SUN LEGEND.

Among certain tribes of Eskimos there is a tradition that the sun and moon were once human beings, the moon being an Eskimo boy, and the sun his sister. The boy tormented his sister, and to get away from him she fled up into the sky, and was turned into the sun, while the boy was doomed to pursue her continually, without ever catching up to her.

the Japanese amunition I had acquired: "O naka ga sukimashita (Honorable inside has become empty)." But we tried gesticulations in vain and it began to look as if our honorable insides would remain empty when my better seventeenth suddenly slapped his seat of memory in tragic manner and she at last understood where the aching void was, and dinner was finally served after much delay, but not before we had been urged to "tek a bath," which we firmly refused to do, knowing that the same water had to do for all the guests.

To me it was like playing in a paper doll house; it was the dream of a life come true and I was sitting cross-kneed on the floor and eating with chop-sticks all sorts of uncommon food. For my six-foot husband the experience was not so pleasing and he called in vain for chairs and a fork.

AS HAPPY AS A LARK.

Our beds that night were soft mats and heavily wadded kimonos were brought for us to sleep in. We discarded the little block of wood intended to serve as a pillow, but awoke next morning, one of us delighted and refreshed, the other aching literally to get back to Western comforts. Washing in the morning was a public performance and when we went out to visit the temples we found our shoes where we had left them, all muddy and wet from the night's rain—they had been treated just like native clogs.

AN UNREDEEMED PLEDGE.

An incident not without pathos occurred toward the end of last week at a sale of unredeemed pledges at the Mont de Piete, Paris, says the London Globe. There were sold by auction a child's drinking cup, plate, spoon and knife and fork. Fifty-one years ago these souvenirs were deposited in the Paris municipal pawnshop. Every year since the interest has been paid regularly and the right of redemption secured, but the family never seem to have possessed the necessary 15 or 20 francs to resume possession. Evidently the poor people are either dead or have become more needy. Two years ago the interest ceased to be paid, but, the department, to their credit, abstained from selling these "lars and penates." Several letters were addressed at the last known residence and to other places where the pawners have lived, but they have come back marked "Inconnu." The sands of the glass have run out and the objects so carefully guarded for half a century have been sold.

THE AUSTRIAN STATE COACH.

The Emperor of Austria owns the most beautiful state coach in existence, says the London Chronicle. Its proportions are perfect and the finish of the mouldings and carvings are exquisite. It was built on 1896, and is shared with all the curves which distinguish Louis Quatorze furniture, straight lines being carefully avoided. The panels are adorned with nymphs in the style of Rubens. Indeed, the custodian informs those privileged to view the coach that they are the work of Rubens. If Peter the painter had not died fifty-six years before the coach was built his statement would be believed. It is a more comfortable conveyance too than the British state coach, being hung upon well balanced springs.

BETTER THAN CURE.

"I have noticed," he said, "on the circulars of the Health Society the phrase 'Prevention is better than cure.' I would like to stamp that out. We should wait until we are infected and then take steps to kill the microbes. As Kruger said, let them wait till the tortoise puts its head out and then kill it."

"Very few people have yet appreciated that the non-infective diseases are due to microbes. Hygiene is a question of fighting microbes. The programme has been to kill the microbe outside the body. That is very difficult to do."

"Against this policy we have the policy of killing the microbe inside the body, and that can be done if we take the trouble to study it. The body has protective and destructive substances and these can be enlisted in the fight. Research is necessary."

"It is no good filling hospitals with people we do not know how to treat. I have seen twenty-one doctors round a rich man's bed and not one of them knew anything about him."

Elsewhere in this heterodox pronouncement Sir Almroth Wright said:

"I do not feel that with regard to public hygiene, domestic hygiene or private hygiene we have reached any valuable knowledge, and if we never apply that which we have we shall

NOT BE MUCH WORSE.

"There is a widespread belief that if you have not got any disease you can keep it away by following certain rules, and that if you have a disease you can make it better by following them. That is a religion I have no sympathy with."

"I was on the plague commission in India and recommended all sorts of sterilization of floors, but that, although it cost a lot, did no good; the fleas came hopping along and did not care whether the floors were disinfected or not."

The revolutionary theories have naturally been much discussed. Medical men have demolished his statements one by one with the weightiest of arguments. But many people agree with Dr. Forbes Ross, who says:

"One cannot help thinking that Sir Almroth Wright is having a good tug at the professional leg."

COSTUMES OF FISH SKINS.

Among the most wonderful garments worn at the present day are the curious fish skin dresses of the wealthy women of the Gold tribe, living along the Amur River, East Siberia. Though they can neither read nor write these people are producing astonishing ornaments, designs and embroidery work. The dress is composed of several layers of fish skin, the undermost representing the skin of the garment proper; the uppermost showing the ornaments in their cut out forms. Between these two layers is inserted a middle layer, which serves as a background, throwing out distinctly all parts of the ornaments. The pieces of fish skin forming the ornaments are generally colored blue. The front and back of the dress is adorned with these cut out pieces of fish skin sewed with fish skin thread.

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AN ITALIAN WAS MURDERED

Two Others Wounded in a Stabbing Affray at Toronto

A despatch from Toronto says: Jealousy over a woman was the cause of a row on Friday night at the rear of 40 Agnes Street, which ended in one man being killed and three others badly wounded. The dead man is John Russello, laborer, who lived at 40 Agnes Street. He had his throat badly gashed with a large butcher knife, and the man who is under arrest charged with the murder is Donato Panzini, of 93 Elm Street. Vincent Acciaoli, who also lives at the Agnes Street house, is under arrest on a charge of carrying firearms. Andy Male, who had his head badly cut, is being held as a material witness. Frank Russello, the brother of the murdered man, is in St. Michael's Hospital. He has a bad cut in the head and the thumb of his left hand is almost severed.

It appears that Panzini and the

dead man were infatuated with the same girl, a young woman by the name of Fratorti, whose father has a boarding-house at 40 Agnes Street. A number of people had gathered at the Agnes Street house, and, according to the story told the police by Anthony Fratorti, Panzini, with some others, came to his place on Friday evening with the intention of making trouble.

The question of their affections for the one lady naturally came up and it was decided to fight it out in the back yard. This is one of the versions the police were able to obtain on Friday night, and they think it is correct in many details. The Italians are loth to speak on the subject and it was a considerable time after the murder before the correct name of the dead man was found out.

500,000 IMMIGRANTS COMING

Canada Is Getting the Pick of the People From the British Isles

A despatch from Ottawa says: Mr. W. D. Scott, Superintendent of Immigration, who has just returned from a two-months' tour of agencies in Great Britain, predicts that the immigration to Canada from Great Britain this year will be at least 165,000, an increase of fifty per cent. over last year. The quality of the immigration is also steadily improving, Canada getting the pick of the men who are leaving the mother country to seek new homes abroad. Mr. Scott says that it is now practically impossible to

book either a steerage or a second-class passage on any steamer bound for Canada from Great Britain. Many British immigrants are now coming via New York or Boston. The total immigration for the year from all sources is estimated at 450,000. The Department of Trade and Commerce was notified that 175 Chinese immigrants were landed at Victoria, B. C., on Monday morning. This is the largest number of Chinese ever landed at the port from any one ship. The poll tax, at \$500 per head, yields \$88,000 to the country's revenue.

selected to make the "Chateau Laurier" the favorite hotel in America.

The hotel will be opened for business next fall.

A BUNGLAR SHOT.

Man Had Startling Experience in

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Produce at Home and Abroad.

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, April 18.—Flour—Winter wheat 90 per cent, patents, \$3.35 to \$3.40 at seaboard. Manitoba flours—First patents, \$5.40; second patents, \$4.90, and strong bakers', \$4.70, on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 97c cash, and 95½c May delivery, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, 94½c cash, and 93c, May delivery, Bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 red and white 82 to 83c, outside.

Barley—Malting qualities, 66 to 68c, and feed 53 to 57c, outside.

Oats—Ontario, 32½ to 33c, outside, and 35 to 35½c, on track, Toronto. No. 2 W. C. oats, 37c, and No. 3, 36c, Bay ports.

Corn—No. 3 American, 56 to 56½c, Toronto freight.

Peas—No. 2 at 80 to 81c outside.

Buckwheat—No. 1 at 49 to 50c outside.

Bran—Manitobas, \$23, in bags, Toronto, and shorts, \$24.50, in bags, Toronto; Ontario shorts, \$24.50 to \$25.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Spys, \$5 to \$6; Baldwins, \$4 to \$4.50; No. 2 assorted, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per barrel.

Beans—Car lots, \$1.75 to \$1.80, and small lots, \$1.90 to \$2.

Honey—Extracted, in tins, 10 to 11c per lb.; No. 1 comb, wholesale, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen; No. 2 comb, wholesale, \$1.75 to \$2 per dozen.

Baled hay—No. 1 at \$11.50 to \$13 on track, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$10.50.

Baled Straw—\$6.50 to \$7, on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—Car lots, 90 to 95c per bag, and New Brunswick, \$1 to \$1.05.

Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry:—Chickens, 15 to 16c per lb.; fowl, 11 to 13c per lb.; turkeys, 19 to 21c per lb. Live, 1 to 2c less.

LOCAL DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Dairy prints, 19 to 20c; inferior, 16 to 17c. Creamery quoted at 27 to 28c per lb. for rolls, 24 to 24½c for solids, and 22½ to 23c for separator prints.

Eggs—Case lots 18c per dozen.

Cheese—Large, 14c, and twins at 14½c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon—Long clear, 11 to 11½c per lb., in case lots; mess pork, \$20 to \$20.50; do., short-cut, 23.50 to \$24; pickled rolls, \$20.

Hams—Light to medium, 15c; do., heavy, 12 to 13c; rolls, 11½ to 12c; breakfast bacon, 15½ to 17c; backs, 18 to 18½c.

Lard—Tierces, 11c; tubs, 11½c; pails, 11½c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 18.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 38½ to 39c, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 38½ to 38½c; No. 3 C. W., 37½ to

THE NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE IN A NUTSHELL.

Canada, the Empire and the World in General Before Your Eyes.

CANADA.

The Ontario Government may build a custodial institution for the care of the insane.

Mr. David Wilson, a prominent contractor, of Gananoque, died from blood-poisoning on Friday.

The Government is permitting an American training ship to pass through the canals to Lake Michigan.

The Government will not pay for dredging done without authority by the Loggie Company at Bathurst, N. B.

Sir Alan Aylesworth announced in the Commons that he may reconsider his determination to retire from public life.

The Quebec, Montreal & South Shore Railway bridge at Yamaska, Que., was damaged by ice and is expected to fall into the river.

J. Y. Murdock of Jarvis pleaded guilty to charges of forgery and theft and was remanded to the 25th. He promises to make such restitution as lies in his power.

Belleville Council has asked the County Judge to investigate the charge against ex-Mayor Marsh and City Treasurer Price in connection with the sale of tax lots.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Liberal member for Exeter, England, has been unseated on a re-count.

UNITED STATES.

President Taft has warned Mexican belligerents that border fighting must not jeopardize American citizens on U. S. territory.

GENERAL.

Aviator Pierre Prier made the trip from London to France, 290 miles, in a monoplane without a stop.

CUT OFF HUSBAND'S HEAD.

Woman in Hospital for Months from Wounds He Inflicted.

A despatch from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., says: Peter Napolitina, an Italian, living near James street, Little Italy, known here as Peter Naplesik, was killed on Sunday evening by his wife, Margery. The woman admits having committed the murder and is now in jail. Napolitina was employed on the night shift at the steel plant, and was asleep in bed when his wife attacked him with an axe. The first blow struck him on the forehead and nearly severed the crown of his head. Four blows followed, the last one all but severing the head from the body. The woman then proceeded out on to the street and told passers-by what she had done. The murder is the echo of the case last Fall, when Napolitina returned home unexpectedly, and stabbed her several times. She was for some months in the hospital. It seems she had awaited the oppor-

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A BURGLAR SHOT.

Man Had Startling Experience in Montreal Hotel.

A despatch from Montreal says: A burglar gained entrance to a room of the Windsor Hotel early on Wednesday by way of the fire escape. The occupant of the room, a Toronto man, was awakened by the noise, crawled out of bed and made his way to the electric switch. When the room was flooded with light he spied a young man, about 25 years of age, holding a revolver. The guest by a pretence of throwing up his hands, succeeded in grappling with the burglar and bringing him to the floor. The occupant of the room managed to get hold of the revolver, and when the man made a rush for the window, fired at him, evidently with effect, as the man cried out and slid down the fire escape. In his exit he left his cap behind him. The police succeeded in tracing the man as far west as Mountain street by a trail of blood.

BIG SHIPBUILDING PLANT.

\$10,000,000 Company at Sydney Harbor, Nova Scotia.

A despatch from Halifax, Nova Scotia, says: A charter has been granted a company with a capital of \$10,000,000 for a shipbuilding plant on Sydney Harbor. Sir Henry Pellatt, of Toronto, Lieut.-Governor J. M. Gibson, Messrs. Chas. Ellis of Clyde Bank, Scotland; Alex. Gracie of the Fairbank Shipbuilding Company; and A. Cross of Sydney are the incorporators. The company will carry on business under the name of the British-Canadian Shipbuilding and Dock Company. Mayor Gunn of Sydney says the two famous shipbuilding concerns mentioned are among the greatest in the world. They are now committed to the Sydney proposition, and there is not the slightest doubt of their starting there in a short time.

Denman Thompson, the well-known actor, is dead.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 18.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 35¢ to 39¢, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 38¢ to 38½¢; No. 3 C. W., 37½¢ to 38¢; No. 2 local white, 36 to 36½¢; No. 3 local white, 35 to 35½¢; No. 4 local white, 34 to 34½¢. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.30; seconds, \$4.80; Winter wheat patents, \$4.50; strong bakers', \$4.60; straight rollers, \$4 to \$4.25; in bags, \$1.75 to \$1.85. Rolled oats—Per barrel, \$4.15; bag of 90 lbs., \$1.85. Corn—American No. 3 yellow, 59 to 59½¢. Mill-feed—Bran, Ontario, \$22 to \$23; Manitoba, \$21 to \$23; middlings, Ontario, \$24 to \$25; shorts, Manitoba, 23 to \$25; mouillie, \$25 to 30. Eggs—Fresh, 17 to 19¢. Cheese—Westerns, 11½ to 11½¢. Butter—Choicest, 25 to 25½¢; seconds, 23 to 24½¢.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Montreal, April 18.—Choice steers brought 6½¢; good, 6 to 6½¢; fairly good, 5½ to 5½¢; fair, 5 to 5½¢, and the lower grades, 4½ to 4½¢ per lb. Cows sold at from 3½ to 5½¢, and bulls at from 4 to 5½¢ per lb. Hogs scored a further decline of 25¢ per 100 lbs. Calves, \$10 to \$12, and the lower grades from that down to \$2 each. Old sheep brought from \$5 to \$10 each, and Spring lambs from \$4 to \$9 each.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Buffalo, April 18.—Wheat—Spring No. 1 Northern, carloads store, \$1.04-1-8; Winter scarce. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 54-1-8; No. 4 yellow, 53¢; No. 3 corn, 52 to 52½¢; No. 4 corn, 50½ to 50½¢, all on track, through billed. Oats—No. 2 white, 36½¢; No. 3 white, 35½¢; No. 4 white, 35¢. Barley—Malting, \$1.06 to \$1.10. Minneapolis, April 18.—Wheat—May, 94½¢; July, 95-7-8¢; September, 89-1-8¢. Cash—No. 1 hard, 98½¢; No. 1 Northern, 97½ to 98½¢; No. 2 Northern, 94 to 96½¢; No. 3 wheat, 91½ to 94½¢. Bran—\$21.50 to \$22. Flour—First patents, \$1.45 to \$1.75; do., seconds, \$1.35 to \$1.65; first clears, \$2.95 to \$3.40; do., seconds, \$1.95 to \$3.60.

PLAGUE ABATING.

But Lawlessness on the Part of the Chinese Continues.

A despatch from Seattle, Washington says: Lawlessness continues in Manchuria. Six Japanese were killed recently in a village on the Chinese Eastern Railway. While a party of Russian soldiers were proceeding along the border near Harbin, they were fired at by 200 Chinese troops. The Russian fled. The abatement of the plague in Manchuria continues.

"TIRED OF ALL."

Hamilton Man Blows Out His Brains in ManMoba.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: "I'm tired of it all. It's not worth the struggle and I am going to end it." Penning these words on a slip of paper, W. H. Blair, of Hamilton, Ont., drew a revolver and blew out his brains on Sunday. The tragedy took place on the high-road, three miles from Rosser. He was identified by his name being tattooed on his right arm.

proceeded on to the street and told passers-by what she had done. The murder is the echo of the case last Fall, when Napolitina returned home unexpectedly, and stabbed her several times. She was for some months in the hospital. It seems she had awaited the opportunity to get even.

SORE ARMS AT OTTAWA.

Three or Four Hundred Government Employees to be Vaccinated.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Some three or four hundred employees of the Government, who work in the offices in the Woods building, will either be vaccinated or quarantined by the health authorities. It was discovered on Wednesday that Mrs. Deveux, a charwoman, had been living with a family in Hull, one of whom was taken to Porter's Island suffering from smallpox. Dr. Law immediately notified the heads of the departments that each employee would have to either be vaccinated or quarantined. The building was thoroughly fumigated. The majority of the people working in the building have already submitted to vaccination, and the others will probably do so at once.

FARM LABOR SCARCE.

Big Wages Being Paid by Farmers in Western Ontario.

A despatch from Chatham says: Scarcity of farm labor through the entire Western Ontario Peninsula has grown to an acute question with the farmers. So scarce are farm hands that big wages are being paid to inexperienced men by the farmers who are up against the question of getting their work done, and having men to do it. The increased acreage in tobacco plant through the western counties has considerable to do with the shortage, more being required to look after the plants.

TWO MORE HOLIDAYS.

King's Birthday and Coronation Day Will Be Proclaimed.

A despatch from Ottawa says: June 3rd, the birthday of his Majesty King George, and June 22nd, Coronation Day, will be proclaimed as statutory legal holidays in Canada. Some time ago his Majesty intimated through the Colonial Office that he would prefer to have his birthday celebrated on the actual anniversary of his birth, instead of adhering to the precedent set by the late sovereign, King Edward, whose birthday was officially celebrated on Victoria Day instead of on November 8th.

SIR E. TASCHEREAU DEAD.

Former Chief Justice Succumbs to Stroke of Paralysis.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Right Hon. Sir Elizear Taschereau, P. C., died at his residence, 265 Laurier Avenue east, on Friday morning in his 75th year. The deceased had been stricken with paralysis some three weeks ago, but recovered somewhat until three days ago, when the fatal termination became inevitable.

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The Grand Trunk Building One of the Finest Hotels on the Continent.

The "Chateau Laurier," Ottawa, Ont., which will be owned and operated by the Grand Trunk Railway System, will be, without doubt, the finest hotel on this continent, not only architecturally, but also in regard to its general appointments.

Situated in Major's Hill Park, it faces to the west the Parliament Buildings and grounds, to the north the Ottawa River, and the Grand Old Laurentian Hills in the Province of Quebec. It can truly be said that the location is unsurpassed on this continent.

It is built in the French Chateau style, in the most approved method of fireproof construction. The frame of the building is steel, the walls are of Bedford limestone, surmounted with copper roof, and the whole building presents a majestic as well as picturesque appearance from every viewpoint. The possession of such a structure must prove to be not only a valuable asset to the City of Ottawa, but a credit to the Dominion of Canada.

The hotel will contain, in addition to its regular dining-room and cafe, a Ladies' Dining-Room, Banquet Room, Ball-room, a State Suite, and a number of private dining-rooms, as well as three hundred and fifty bedrooms with two hundred and sixty-two private bathrooms. Each bedroom will have a front outlook, for there is no courtyard to this hotel, and upon three sides it fronts the beautiful Major's Hill Government Park.

Every feature of drainage, heating, ventilation, lighting, and cooking arrangements have received the most detailed consideration, and will be of the most modern form and appointment.

Besides the ordinary entrance to the "Chateau" from the street, it will be connected with the Grand Trunk Railway's new Central Union Passenger Station by a private passageway.

Mr. F. W. Bergman, the Manager, has had a wide experience in hotel management, both abroad and in this country, and has been

WESTERN ELECTRIC LINES

Transportation Enterprise to Operate From Niagara Falls to London.

A despatch from London, Ont., says: Mr. Malcolm J. Kent, a director of the London Electric Railway Company, on Wednesday afternoon gave the first definite statement regarding a merger which may mean a change of management for the London Street Railway Company. Mr. Kent stated that an option had been given on the street railway. This has not been taken up as yet, but the deal, he said, will likely be closed one way or the other, within a week.

Mr. Kent did not feel himself in a position to state definitely the purpose of the proposed change, but he gave this general idea:—The movement here is one of many

which aim to bring street railways and radials under one management. When this is done the districts between here and Niagara, which are not already served by radials, will have such lines constructed. These and the street railways brought in will get their power from the main company.

The merger, it is believed, is but the widening of the movement which started in Toronto during the past few days. It will give the power companies, behind which are Mackenzie & Mann and a number of New York capitalists, a market for their power, and will enable the companies to serve the people along the transmission lines which will be erected.

ON THE DAWSON TRAIL.

Mounted Police Patrol Meets With Disaster.

A despatch from Halifax says: A despatch was received on Monday evening by Mrs. John Fitzgerald of this city, conveying the sad news of the death of her son, Frank, who was Inspector of the Northwest Mounted Police. The despatch was from Mr. A. B. Perry, Commissioner of the Mounted Police at Regina. Commissioner Perry states that Inspector Fitzgerald's death occurred last January, near Fort Macpherson, while making a patrol to Dawson, and that three other members of the party met death at the same time. The Commissioner says that he will forward details when received, and that he extends his sincere sympathy, the force having lost one of its most valued officers.

NEW YORK FIRE DISASTER.

Jury Find Employers Guilty of "Criminal Negligence."

A despatch from New York says: Isaac Harris and Max Blanck, proprietors of the Triangle Waist Company, who are under indictment charging manslaughter in connection with the death of 145 employees by fire, were found by a Coroner's jury on Monday to be responsible for the death of one operator. The verdict was returned in the case of Mary Herman, a young girl, whose escape from the ninth floor was cut off, it is alleged, by a locked door. Harris and Blanck are responsible for the death, the verdict read, "because of culpable and criminally negligence in failing to observe the legal precaution of leaving the said door unlocked."

BIG BLAZE AT COLBORNE.

Business Section Burned, With Loss of \$25,000.

A despatch from Brighton says: Fire that, rumor has it, may have been caused by burglars operating in the Bank of Toronto and Express printing office, broke out in the Express office, Colborne, at 11 o'clock on Sunday night. Over half of the business houses on the south side of King street have been burned, the loss being about \$25,000. The sufferers are: Express Printing Office, Bank of Toronto, Chase Bros., Nursery Company, Sam McCracken, hardware, G. E. R. Wilson, insurance office; residence of Walter Burleigh, and the residence of Mrs. J. S. Yeomans.

HON. G. P. GRAHAM LOSES SON

Brain Fever Developed After a Brief Illness.

A despatch from Brockville says: P. M. Graham, youngest son of Hon. G. P. Graham, died at an early hour Monday morning in the General Hospital following a short illness which did not assume a serious aspect until Saturday, when brain fever developed. For a number of years deceased was connected with the staff of the Brockville Recorder, and this session went to Ottawa to represent his paper in the press gallery. He was identified with the 41st Regiment, commanding C Company.

HEROINE'S GRANDDAUGHTER.

Descendant of Laura Secord Passes

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Fashion Hints

FOR MEN'S WEAR.

The demand for gray gloves this winter has really been remarkable. So well liked has this color been that its sale has not been much less than tan, the color that has always been the leading one. A dark gray glove has certain advantageous features not possessed by other shades, principal among which is the fact that it becomes soiled less quickly and generally retains its original color longer than a tan glove of the same quality. Cleaning, too, is said to have less effect upon the average gray glove than upon the ordinary tan.

Wide is the range of colors and patterns of handkerchiefs that are being offered upon the market today. The variety includes figures of every imaginable design and color, white grounds with cross bars, plain color borders with fancy centers in blue, tan, helio, green, and gray, solid colors in various shades; in fact, something to satisfy every taste.

In jewelry styles some radical changes have been made. The small, neat stone set in a plain background seems to be no longer popular in scarfpins. It's the large setting and the figured background now-a-days. Some of these pins are so large that they contain two or more stones, set apart. Whether or not these designs are going to meet with favor among tasteful dressers one would dare not venture to say, but it seems only natural to believe that quiet, conservative dressers will prefer the smaller neat pins, as they have heretofore. These new styles, or at least departures from anything previously shown, are, after all, considered merely novelties and are bought only by people who care for such things.

BLACK AND WHITE LACES

In all of the costumes the combination idea is in evidence. There is hardly a dress that does not show some combination of materials and some mingling of colors.

A great many black and white laces are combined. Every indication points to a large use of both black and white laces for making entire costumes for the summer. Sheer white and black nets are

SPRING OPENING IN THE WEST

Telegram From Immigration Commissioner Gives Strong Facts

A despatch from Ottawa says: The following are extracts from a telegram from Mr. J. Bruce Walker, Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, to the Superintendent of Immigration at Ottawa:—

"Seeding is general this week throughout the whole of western Canada. The seed bed is in fine condition, while the moisture is everywhere abundant.

"Five thousand overseas immigrants, most of them from England, arrived in Winnipeg during the first three days of this week.

"The Canadian Northern Railway is calling for tenders for the construction of the mountain section in British Columbia, running through the Fraser and Thompson canyon, its cost approximating fifteen million dollars.

"During the year ending March 31st last 33,553 head of live stock entered Canada from the United States. Of this number 12,553 were horses. During the first ten days of April of this year one thousand cars of settlers' stock and effects passed through the gateway at North Portal, destined to Saskatchewan and Alberta. New settlers are entering western Canada during March and April at the average rate of fifteen hundred per

day. These are being absorbed by western communities rapidly and satisfactorily.

"Real estate values in farm and city property in the Province of Manitoba have advanced materially during this month. The increase in western lands in the prairie provinces runs from two to three dollars per acre since the first of March.

"Five special trains have passed through Emerson during this week, travelling via Chicago and Winnipeg, thence by Grand Trunk Pacific to Edmonton, carrying overseas immigrants and a large number of repatriated French-Canadians from the New England States.

"The Grand Trunk Pacific is calling for tenders and is ready to commence the erection immediately of a new palatial hotel in Winnipeg city.

"Building permits in Winnipeg, Vancouver, and Calgary during the month of March aggregate three million dollars.

"The work of reconstructing the Brandon Asylum for the Insane, which was burned down in the early part of last winter, has commenced. The contract has been let to a local firm and the new structure will cost one and a half million dollars."

UNCLE HIRAM TO HIS NEPHEW

He Tells Him Not to be Too Hasty in Discarding Old Ideas.

"Stevy, my boy," Uncle Hiram said to his hopeful young nephew, "when you get going in business you don't want to discard old ideas because they are old; you want to keep on using them if they are good, don't forget that old ideas are new to new people.

As a matter of fact we don't have many new ideas. Most of the ideas we are using now are as old as the—well, maybe they are not quite as old as the hills, but they are as old as civilization.

"What do we get in young men for? It's to put new life into the business, isn't it? Why, certainly

SOUTHERN TORNADO.

Buildings Blown Down and Many Persons Injured.

A despatch from Leavenworth, Kansas, says: A tornado which struck this city at half-past five o'clock on Tuesday did thousands of dollars worth of damage to buildings and growing crops. Hailstones, as large as pigeon eggs, practically ruined every greenhouse in the city and broke out hundreds of windows in residences. Scores of sheds and outhouses were overturned and telephone wires blown down. Reports from west of the city and from Platte County indicate that great damage was done to farm buildings and crops. The storm lasted about half an hour. At Whiting sixty houses were blown down and about a dozen persons injured.

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HEROINE'S GRANDDAUGHTER.

Descendant of Laura Secord Passes Away in Guelph.

A despatch from Guelph says: Death removed a grand-daughter of Laura Secord, one of the familiar characters of Canadian history. Deceased was Miss Augusta Smith, of this city, who died, aged 83, and with her deceased sister was one of the first school teachers in this section.

HAT PIN COSTS HIM AN EYE.

Woman Passing Gateman at Station Maims Him for Life.

A despatch from Omaha, Nebraska, says: Henry Pepper, a gateman at the Union Station, lost an eye as a result of coming in contact with a hat pin on Tuesday morning, and came near losing his life. He was punching tickets at the gate when a fashionably dressed woman pushed her way through the crowd, and as she passed the gateman the pin in her hat pierced his eye and, dragging across his temple, tore an ugly gash. The eye was badly mutilated and the sight destroyed. The police tried to find the woman, but failed.

COLLIE DOG'S LONG TRAMP.

Travelled From Edmonton to Bolton Centre, Quebec.

A despatch from Edmonton, Alberta, says: A thorough-bred collie belonging to Mr. A. Brill of Edmonton disappeared sixteen months ago, one month after it had been brought here by express from the east. Mr. Brill received word today from his father, Rev. D. Brill, of Bolton Centre, near Sherbrooke, Que., that the dog had turned up there, apparently having found its way back to its old home, two-thirds of the way across the continent. It will travel to Edmonton once more by express.

SLAYER OF SON.

George Vanstone Found Guilty and Sentenced for Life.

A despatch from Goderich says: George Vanstone was on Friday night found guilty of manslaughter in connection with the death of his son, whom he beat to death with a stick because he was either slow or obstinate in making figures on his slate when the father was seeking to instruct him. He was sentenced by Mr. Justice Falconbridge to life imprisonment. The prisoner's wife burst into tears when she heard the sentence. The trial lasted less than four hours, the defence being in insanity. The lawyers of the prosecution and defence left the address to the jury in the hands of the judge.

SETTLERS' LOW RATES TO CANADIAN NORTHWEST VIA CHICAGO & NORTH WESTERN RY.

April 4, 11, 18 and 25 from points in Canada. Excellent train service via St. Paul or Duluth to Winnipeg. For full particulars address B. H. Bennett, General Agent, 46 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ont.

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A great many black and white laces are combined. Every indication points to a large use of both black and white laces for making entire costumes for the summer.

Sheer white and black nets are also greatly employed.

Taffeta is being used in a most marked way, both as a material for foundations (replacing satin) and for making tailored suits and dresses. The new taffeta is thin and soft and has a high luster. So brilliant is the sheen that close inspection is needed to perceive that it is not really satin.

Many pretty foulards are used in striped patterns and also a few simple border patterns, these latter notably in combinations of dark blue and green.

SHOE STYLES.

Shoe manufacturers are steadily showing more taste in combining fabrics with leather. One of the most striking combinations of this kind is a brown kid vamp with a satin top of the same color. The apparent desire of manufacturers to use fabrics is a noteworthy feature of the cloth shoe era.

Different colors of suede will also be seen to a large extent, one of the favorite combinations being a black patent and dull vamp with gray suede top. Suede boots in black or other dark colors will be prominent.

Velvet, which up to this time has led most of the fabrics, is quite sure to continue strong for next fall's goods. Not only is it being shown in combination with leathers, but also for the entire shoe.

Collars of patent leather on kid or mat tops, with patent vamp, as well as other combinations, are showing a revival of popularity.

FASHION NOTES.

Hats covered with brocade are excellent for early spring.

Many of the small hats are made of the rough straws.

Flower toques are enjoying modistic prominence in millinery.

Many effective hats for children are of the mushroom type, with downward turning brims.

Ribbon in black and white checks and stripes is used on plain hats for wear with tailored suits.

In costumes and in separate waists the sleeves are almost without exception short elbow and three-quarter length.

Red and blue, violet and blue, lavender and pink, and gray and yellow combinations are seen in many spring models.

Venetian lace is the popular net for trimming collars, for deep revers on coats, and for bands on dresses of all styles.

Federal weakness in Mexico is apparent in every Province.

Lady Halle, a famous violinist, is dead.

The details of the Coronation ceremony have been settled.

Earl and Countess Grey and party have left for Winnipeg to attend musical and dramatic competition.

Three men dropped into the canal at Iroquois when a scaffold on which they were working collapsed, on Friday. Elgin Servis was drowned, but the other two managed to get out.

"As a matter of fact we don't have many new ideas. Most of the ideas we are using now are as old as the well, maybe they are not quite as old as the hills, but they are as old as civilization.

"What do we get in young men for? It's to put new life into the business, isn't it? Why, certainly and they do; they put in ginger and go, and that's what we want. And then some day the new young man comes to us and says he has a new idea that he'd like to put into execution, and when you hear what it is you say to him: 'Why, that idea has been used a thousand times; that isn't new.' But the young man may say to you: 'What of it? It's new to me and I'll bet you it's new to 10,000,000 people.'

"And so it is, Stevey, and you want to let him go ahead and try it; with his energy and determination he'll make it go. Into old ideas he'll put new life, and that really is about all we do; but the old ideas will seem actually new, as in fact they will be new to many people.

"So don't discard old ideas, Stevy, because they are old; keep them if they are good; but to make them good you must keep life in them; use them not sluggishly as if you felt they were stale, but with life and energy; it is the way in which you do things that really counts.

"Keep what is good, Stevy, but don't fall into a rut; keep plugging and keep thinking. Upon the good old ideas you may graft variations, and a variation may be all but as good and fruitful as a new idea. Keep plugging and keep thinking, and some day there may come to you that scarcest thing in the world, an absolute new idea, and if you strike that, Stevy, you strike a fortune."

CHAMPAGNE RIOTS IN FRANCE

7,000 Men March on Epernay---Troops Charge With Bayonets

A despatch from Chalons-sur-Marne, France, says: The rioting in the wine district threatens to assume the proportions of the widespread disorders in the champagne districts four years ago which resulted in the proclamation of martial law. Wine presses and wine cellars in several towns have been demolished, and hundreds of thousands of bottles of champagne destroyed.

At Damery six wine houses were wrecked, and the streets so littered with broken bottles and a mixture of mud and wine that traffic has been impeded.

At Ventuill the rioters destroyed several large wine presses, and the troops were forced to charge with fixed bayonets before the mob could be dispersed.

Seven thousand wine-makers, well organized, were marching on Epernay, the champagne entrepot, from Damery with the intention of destroying the Epernay wine cellars. Several thousand troops have been concentrated at Epernay and at other threatened points in that vicinity. The troops are awaiting the advancing manifestants and

in the city and broke out numerous of windows in residences. Scores of sheds and outhouses were overturned and telephone wires blown down. Reports from west of the city and from Platte County, indicate that great damage was done to farm buildings and crops. The storm lasted about half an hour. At Whiting sixty houses were blown down and thirty persons injured.

WEAKNESS IN YOUR PIGS.

When any weakness is discovered in the pigs it is time to change the boar. He should be disposed of at once and a new boar, not related to your sows, should be introduced. When the pigs are weaned they should be fed on something that will give them blood and muscle. Corn is extremely fattening and should be fed very lightly if at all, during the first two or three months of the pig's life.

Feed the youngsters bran, wheat middlings and a little dry blood meal occasionally. This ration, with plenty of exercise, clean water and a dry, well ventilated place to sleep, will produce sound animals that will take on fat readily when the time comes to pour corn into them.

The situation in Morocco is grave.

The insurgents repulsed the Federals after a desperate battle at Agua Prieta, Mexico, on Monday.

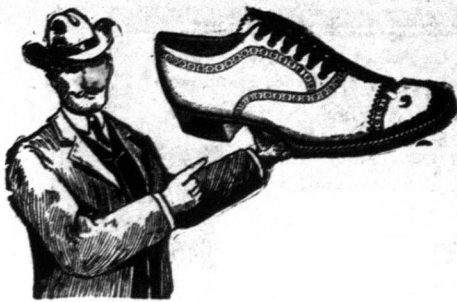
The Soo may not be open for a week, but other harbors are clearing of ice.

The clergymen of Greater New York on Monday met and passed a resolution supporting the proposed arbitration treaty with Britain.

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have received orders to use every endeavor to preserve order and prevent the destruction of property.

A despatch from Damery, Department of Marine, France, says: The "champagne" riots, which began in this department on Tuesday, were continued on Wednesday morning by the excited populace. Wine cellars are being destroyed and the disorder is spreading in spite of the presence of troops called out to preserve order. During the progress of the advance they sang revolutionary hymns and waved red standards. This they did to disown the Government, which they affirm has abandoned them to ruin. They declare the Government acted as a result of the steps taken by the makers of inferior grades of wine. The column had reached the town of Ay at noon. Co-operating with another band, which had reached Ay from a different direction, the rioters proceeded to Ventuill, where they destroyed the huge wine presses. Troops, which had hurriedly been despatched to Ventuill, charged and dispersed the mob, but not until the manifestants had accomplished their purpose.



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Street Commissioner Lowry has a gang of men at work building the Bridge street east sewer.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be held in the board room of the Public Library, on Tuesday, April 25th, at 3 p. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Hospital Aid Society will be held in board room of Public Library, on Monday, April 24th, at 3.30 o'clock.

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19-a-p

A very sad death occurred Thursday morning of last week when Mrs. Emma Dunbar died at her home on

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Historical Meeting

The regular meeting of the Lennox and Addington Historical Society will be held in Historical Hall, Library Building, on Friday evening, April 28th., at 8 p. m. Prof. Alexander Laird of the Royal Military College will deliver a lecture on "The Life of Robert Louis Stevenson." The meeting will be open for the public. Entrance free, and every one welcome.

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St. Patrick's Church.

Easter tide was duly recognized by special services in St. Patrick's R. C. Church on Sunday morning last. The morning service consisted of the singing of High Mass, at which service Rev. Father O'Connor gave a short, pithy and appropriate sermon calling the attention of his flock to the Queen of Festivals and the joys, which, of necessity, surround the thought, hopes and aspirations, which the Easter season brings to the hearts and minds of all devout christians. The church was beautifully decorated with a quantity of Easter lilies typical of the Resurrection and the effect was much admired by all, who saw it. In the evening Grand High Vespers were sung as a proper sequel to the High Mass of the morning.

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W. W. Asselstine, Moscow, was taken to the Kingston General Hospital on Wednesday to be operated on for appendicitis.

The town council met in regular session on Monday evening, but immediately after opening adjourned until Thursday evening.

W. A. Rockwell, of Detroit, Mich., will be here several weeks and will be glad to receive any orders for piano tuning. Orders will be promptly attended to. 17-cp

The annual meeting of the Napanee Methodist district will be held in the Western church, Napanee, May 16th, the ministerial session commencing at 10 a. m., the general at 2 p. m.

Frederick Markland, of Ernesttown, who was seriously injured by being bitten in the face by a horse, is reported to be doing nicely at the general hospital, Kingston.

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Over eight months for \$1.00. The Christian Guardian will be sent to any address in Canada to a new subscriber to January 1st, 1912, for \$1.00. It was never so good as now. Every Methodist in the Dominion should read it weekly. Address: William Briggs, Wesley Buildings, Toronto, Ont.

The members of the fire brigade purpose canvassing the town for subscriptions for the purchase of parade uniforms. When they attend the celebration at Port Hope this year they want to make a creditable appearance. An effort will be made to bring the convention and celebration to Napanee next year.

Marsden Kemp specialist in Piano treatment and tuning will stop off in Napanee on his way from Picton and attend to any orders that may be left at Wallace's Drug Store. Mr. Kemp has served many years in the practical branches of construction in the factories of Kingston, Toronto and Rochester, N. Y. and has not canvassed in over 18 years.

The special Easter service in Trinity Church last Sunday were thoroughly appreciated by the members of the congregation and the visitors present. The music rendered by the choir was especially appropriate for the day. The careful training under the choir leader, Mr. W. J. Shannon, assisted by Miss Cairns, produced music of a high order and afforded a splendid treat for the congregation both morning and evening. Miss Cairns' solos at both services were rendered in fine voice. The minister's sermons were very forceful and powerful and there was a warmth in the exercises of the day which was quite in accord with the Easter time and which it is hoped will characterize the devotional exercises in Trinity during the current year.

Bargains in Marble.

I have on hand \$500 worth of marble monuments, blocky headstones and grave markers, to clear them out of my way in view of erecting a new shop. Corner post from \$1.00 each upwards. At the old stand

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Napanee,

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Forest King, has been purchased by the undersigned and will be at the Paisley House, Napanee. Breeders of heavy horses should see him before making promises.

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FRED PERRY.

19a-p

A very sad death occurred Thursday morning of last week when Mrs. Emma Dunbar, died at her home on Robert street from an attack of scarlet fever, contracted by her while nursing her young son who had been ill with the fever for a couple of weeks or longer. Mrs. Dunbar was worn out and ailing, but had not called in the services of a doctor until last Sunday morning, when it was discovered that she had the fever in a very severe form, and from its effects she died Thursday morning. Mrs. Dunbar was the widow of the late Mr. F. S. Dunbar who predeceased her some two years ago, since which time she had resided with her two children, a daughter and a son, both young, in Napanee. She was a member of Trinity Methodist Church, and had many friends. The funeral took place Friday morning from her late residence on Robert street, to Riverside Cemetery.

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of Festivals and the joys, which, of necessity, surround the thought, hopes and aspirations, which the Easter season brings to the hearts and minds of all devout christians. The church was beautifully decorated with a quantity of Easter lilies typical of the Resurrection and the effect was much admired by all, who saw it. In the evening Grand High Vespers were sung as a proper sequel to the High Mass of the morning.

Protect the lives of those spring calves and yearling, by using Blackleg Vaccine before it is too late. You get it at Hooper's—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

Vestry Meeting

On Monday evening, April 17th, the annual vestry meeting of St. Mary Magdalene's church was held, the Vicar, Rev. W. E. Kidd, presiding. Reports were presented from the Wardens, the Woman's Guild, the Woman's Auxiliary, the Altar Chapter, the Decimal Fund, the Mission Fund, and the Sunday School, showing the various branches of church work to be in a good financial condition. The following appointments were made for the coming year:

Vicar's Warden, Mr. W. Doller. People's Warden, Mr. R. G. H. Travers.

Lay Delegate to Synod, Mr. F. F. Miller.

Sidesmen—Mr. F. F. Miller, Mr. R. G. Wright, Mr. A. Chinneck, Mr. G. F. Ruttan, Mr. I. J. Lockwood, Mr. W. S. Herrington, Mr. H. W. Kelly, Mr. Ed Wilson, Mr. H. Daly, Mr. J. G. Fennell, Dr. Leonard, Dr. Wagar, H. B. Sherwood, T. B. Wallace.

Advisory Board—Mr. E. R. Checkley, Mr. F. F. Miller, Mr. W. S. Herrington, Mr. G. F. Ruttan.

Auditors—Mr. A. Chinneck, Mr. J. G. Fennell.

Vestry Clerk—Mr. E. J. Walters.

Misses Dongola Blucher Patent Tip, low heel, size 11-2, worth \$1.50 for 95c.

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Presbyterian Union Convention.

The convention held in the Presbyterian church, Napanee, on the afternoon and evening of Good Friday, under the auspices of the Kingston Presbyterial Union, was most successful. After Rev. Dr. Howard had conducted devotional exercises the president, W. Moore, of Plainfield, delivered his address. It was decided to contribute \$500 towards the salary of an ordained missionary, whose work will be to take charge of a mission in the summer, and to itinerate among mission stations in the winter. As there are about one hundred Sunday schools and young people's societies in the presbytery each will be expected to contribute at least \$5. A practical address was delivered by Rev. A. S. Kerr, B. A., Belleville, on "What a Young People's Society Should Stand For," and this was followed by an equally practical discussion on the same subject in which D. A. Shaw, Kingston, led. Rev. J. E. Smith, B. D., of Menie, convener of the Presbytery's committee on young people's societies showed what splendid work the young people had done during the past year. Improvement is seen all along the line. At the evening session two inspiring addresses were delivered, one by Rev. Dr. McTavish, Kingston, on "The Missionary Programme Before the Young People," and the other by Rev. J. Binnie, B. D., of Tweed, on "The Cultivation of Spiritual Power." The following officers were elected: President, W. Moore, Plainfield; vice-president, W. MacIntosh, I. P. S. Madoc; Secretary, Rev. James Galloway, Foxboro; Treasurer, D. A. Shaw, Kingston.

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Flowers for Easter.

Easter Lilies, Valley, Carnations, Violets, Roses, Table Ferns and Palms fresh from the Dale Estate Florists. Leave your order with us early so that you will be sure of getting just what you want. At The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper, sole agent for Napanee.

Private Sale.

Mr. Mark Pizzarielle, having decided to leave town, offers his entire outfit of household furniture for sale. The furniture is mostly all new, consisting of first-class five-piece parlor suit, large Morris chair, stoves, bedroom furniture and other articles too numerous to mention. Also a light spring wagon. Parties desiring to see the goods can call at my residence at any time. I am also offering my house and two lots for sale or to rent. The house is fitted with electric lights, has seven large rooms, and is a bargain for an early buyer. Hard and soft water, etc.

The J. H. Brown Will Case.

Mrs. Almada Melissa Vernon, of Park Hill, Middlesex, is plaintiff in an action which centres about the wealth of James Hogle Brown, Napanee, who died in January last. Since 1909, it is said, the old man was blind and confined to his bed. He was to a great extent, it is alleged, dependent on his housekeeper and her family as regards the conduct of his affairs. At the time of his death the old man was ninety-eight years of age, and his housekeeper, Catherine Demorest, is an old lady of over eighty. Mrs. Vernon, who is a niece of James Hogle Brown, seeks to have set aside a will under which the housekeeper would receive, along with gifts during the old man's lifetime, the sum of \$12,049.30, and under which her nephew, C. W. Bowen, would receive \$11,080.30. Mrs. Vernon sets up a former will under which she would receive one-eighth of the estate. If Mr. Brown died intestate she would receive one-quarter of the estate. The suit is launched against Mrs. Catherine Demorest, her son, H. B. Demorest, her nephew, C. W. Bowen, and her nephew's wife, M. A. Bowen. Undue influence is alleged. By consent an injunction has been continued to the trial restraining the defendants from withdrawing from the Dominion and Standard banks, at Napanee, money to their credit beyond the sums of \$750 each, which Mrs. Bowen and Mrs. Demorest are permitted to withdraw.

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Fatal Accident at St. Thomas.

William B. Billinghurst, caretaker of the Elgin Golf and County Club, St. Thomas, and a former resident of Napanee, was fatally injured in an accident at the club grounds on Wednesday of last week. The unfortunate man was at the barn on the club house grounds shooting rats with a double barreled shotgun. In the hospital Thursday morning he related just how the accident occurred. After finishing his work at the barn he started for the house carrying a lantern, two pails and the gun. He had only gone a short distance when his foot caught in a slight hole in the ground, throwing him down. As he fell the gun fell also and the hammers, being up, in some way went off, the discharge entering his side. He managed to drag himself to the house, where he cautioned his thoroughly frightened wife not to be alarmed. She sent for a doctor and then for George McLaughlin, who lived next door. The physician who was called was engaged at the time and



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Church of St. Mary Magdalene.

Sunday, April 23rd: Holy Communion, 8 a. m., Matins and Litany, 10.30 a. m., Oddfellows service, 3 p. m., Evensong, 7 p. m.

Presbyterian Church.

In St. Andrew's church Dr. Howard will resume his series on the hard things in Jesus' Life. Among other questions he will answer the question: "Did Jesus choose a devil and then ordain him an apostle (Judas)?" Special music. Seats are free, but anyone wanting an allocation in pew will see Mr. W. J. Campbell.

Ladies Musical Club.

The ninth meeting of the Ladies Musical Club will be held in the Town Hall, this Friday evening, April 21st, at 8 o'clock. The program will be given by Miss Margaret Shepherd, contralto, of Boston, who is singing this week with the Boston Symphony Orchestra, Mr. Robbins, Pianist of Belleville, and best local talent. This will be an open meeting. Non-members admission 25c.

The Rosary.

When Rowland & Clifford's new play, "The Rosary," by Edward E. Rose, comes to the Brisco opera house on May 3rd, the discriminating public will be given an opportunity to see pictured before them the growing unrest and irreligion of our times. It is a faithful picture of the misery and unhappiness that surley comes upon a man who lacks faith in the supreme good and its triumphs in our world. Can one evil mind poison a whole household? Is the human brain capable of producing disastrous effects upon a household by adverse suggestive thoughts? Do we realize adequately how our mental attitudes influence our lives and the lives about us? And the answer? Well the play is the answer. This play has proven the sensation of the season in Boston and New York; one company has just closed a three months run in Chicago.

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PERSONALS

Mr. W. A. Grange attended court in Deseronto on Thursday.

Messes. Dr. Vrooman and Clarence M. Warner spent Saturday and Sunday in Providence R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Perry and daughter, Caroline are visiting friends in Boston.

Miss Jessie Gault, Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. F. H. Perry's family.

Mrs. C. W. Mowat, Belleville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wales on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Gault, Toronto, is visiting friends in Napanee for a few days. Mr. Fred A. Perry was in St. Thomas a couple of days this week.

Miss Checklev returned from Toronto on Wednesday evening.

Miss Leo Webster, Renfrew, spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. R. Webster.

Mr. H. W. Dean, of the Dominion Bank, spent Easter in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. VanEvery, Owen Sound, spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Templeton.

Mr. E. R. Fitzgerald, Brampton, spent Easter with friends in Napanee.

Miss Gladys Thompson Kingston spent the Easter holidays with her parents in Deseronto.

Miss Constance Nesbit, Napanee, is spending the Easter holidays with Miss Bessie Paul, Earl street, Kingston.

Mrs. S. Loynes is visiting her sister in Bloomfield.

Mrs. J. W. Robinson and Miss Georgie are visiting in Scranton, Pa.

Miss Diana Miller and a friend are here from St. Agnes' school, Belleville, for the holidays.

Mr. G. S. Sellwood, Calgary, Alta., spent a few days last week renewing acquaintances in Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox, of Madoc, spent last week visiting their son, Mr. George Knox.

Mr. Jacob Lloyd, of Oshawa, spent the Easter holidays renewing acquaintances in Napanee and vicinity.

Mrs. C. Wensley, Campbellford, Mrs. E. Huff, Peterborough, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grieve.

Mr. J. R. Scott, Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Boyes, Dawson, City, Youkon, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Robert Boyes.

Mrs. John Charles, Yarker, spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peters, of Odessa, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. George Knox.

Miss Tressa Lasher spent the Easter holidays at her home in Roblin.

Mr. R. Broughen, Marlbank, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. R. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bridge, Collins Bay, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Hazel Gertude, to Samuel James Gardner, of Trenton. The marriage to take place quietly on the 26th inst.

Miss Margaret Nolan, of Stirling, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nolan, Mill street. She returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyes, Kingston, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Robt. Boyes.

Mrs. M. O. Dafoe and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. McCallum. Cadet Miles Miller is home from Kingston for the holidays.

Mrs. Chas. Weir, Cobalt, spent Easter the guest of her mother, Mrs. Davy, Centre street.

Mr. W. J. Chambers, Chambers, is spending a few days in Hamilton.

Miss Eliza Soby was down from Toronto to spend Easter at her home here.

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Mrs. Cameron Wilson will play a violin obligato for Mrs. Howard at the evening services in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Messrs. Arthur Kimmerly and Percy Laidley spent Easter in Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burrows spent Easter with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Lorne McAfee and Mr. Harry Grooms, Toronto, spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Grooms, Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. S. Derry and family spent Easter in Kingston.

Mrs. Goldhue and son, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Lockwood.

MAHRIAGES.

BUCK—WILSON—By Rev. G. S. White, Napanee, on Wednesday, April 19th, 1911, Charles Oscar Buck to Miss Mabel Clara Wilson, both of Camden.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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Chloe, a huge black cook of middle age, came to her mistress one day with the announcement that she was about to be married. Regretting the loss of an excellent cook and having real interest in Chloe's welfare, her mistress said:

"I hope, Chloe, you appreciate the fact that marriage is a serious thing and you have considered carefully in regard to the step you are about to take. Marriage brings great responsibility."

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a slight hole in the ground, throwing him down. As he fell the gun fell also and the hammers, being up, in some way went off, the discharge entering his side. He managed to drag himself to the house, where he cautioned his thoroughly frightened wife not to be alarmed. She sent for a doctor and then for George McLaughlin, who lived next door. The physician who was called was engaged at the time and sent another member of profession, who found Mr. Billingham in a most serious condition. The ambulance was sent for but so grave were his injuries that it was not thought advisable to move him. He rested easily throughout the night, however, and early Thursday morning was taken to the Amasa Wood Hospital. He did not lose consciousness at any time and although somewhat overcome by shock, was able to converse up to within a few minutes of the end. Mr. Billingham is an Old Country man and has been in Canada for something like fifteen years. He was a splendid specimen of manhood and very popular with the members of the club, all of whom are lamenting his terrible misfortune. He has an enviable reputation as a cricketer and, it is said, with a little more practice would make the finest golfer in the city. While in Napanee deceased was married to a daughter of Mr. A. R. Downer, who with two sons survive him.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Coates and children spent Easter with friends in Kingston.

Miss May Shorey was home from Toronto for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caton spent a few days this week with her mother in Toronto.

Mrs. J. G. Daly left on Saturday to spend a few days in Toronto with her mother before leaving to spend the summer in the west.

Mr. G. E. Challes, Toronto, was renewing acquaintances in town this week.

Miss Elsie Sherman was home from Kingston for the holidays.

Mr. Fred Blair spent Easter in Toronto.

Mr. Arthur Boyes, Lachine, spent Easter with his mother Mrs. Robt. Boyes.

Books! Books!

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